1978 Our Year

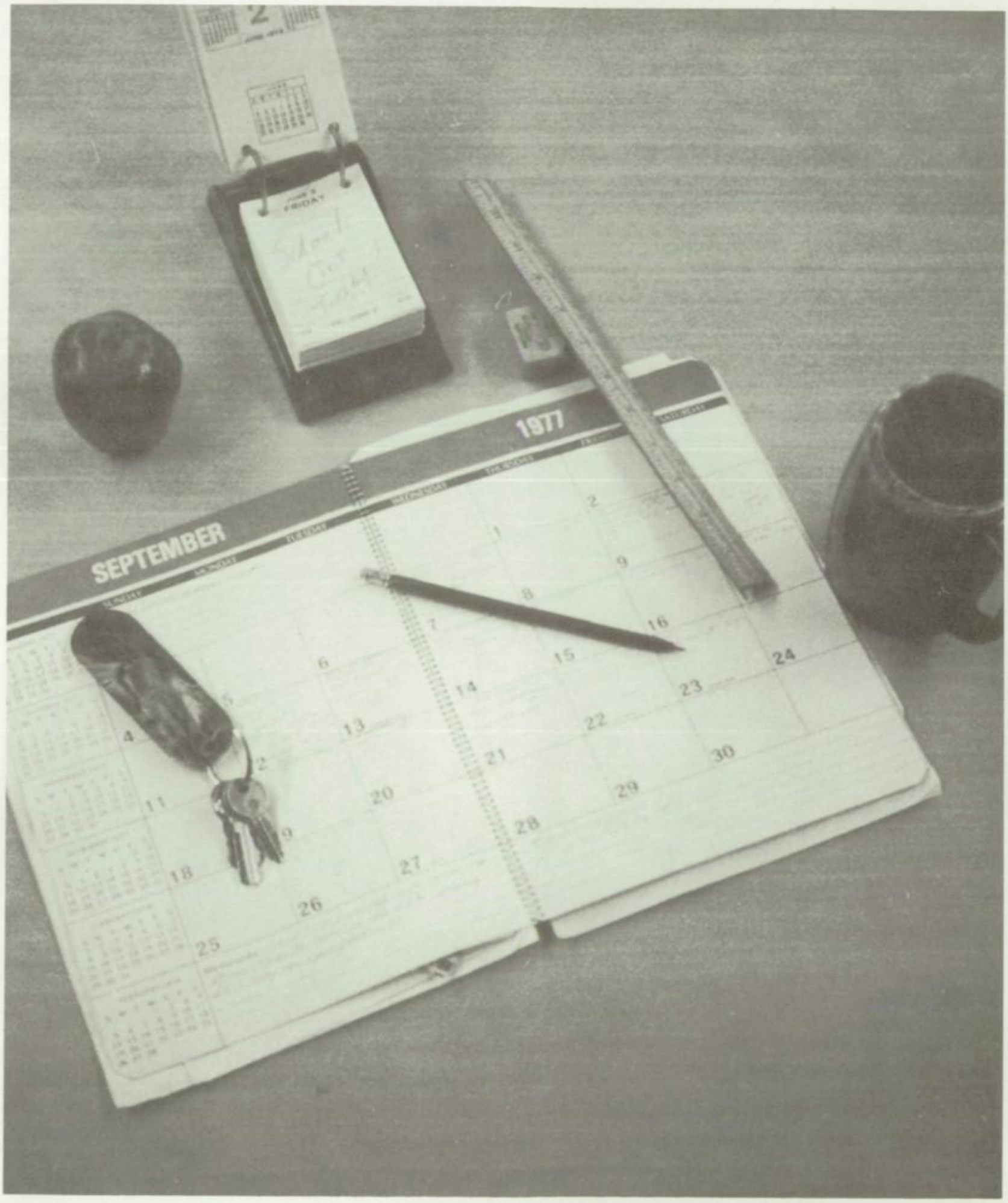
MOUNTAINEER

FROM THESE HALLS

OF TRUTH AND KNOWLEDGE

DEDICATION

TO THE ENTIRE FACULTY



Every day you spend your time trying to teach your students; you are dedicated to them and to helping them find perspective. Often you go unrewarded for your effort; sometimes you are even criticized. But, you are teachers, and you have chosen one of the most noble professions on earth. You give not only knowledge, but your entire being to helping your students in every way. Therefore, the class of 1978 would like to dedicate its annual to you, teachers at Mt. Iron, who have given us such a precious gift, an education.

It all begins right here.

Look, teacher, he wants your picture.

LEFT: Is it today already?

SCHOOL DAYS
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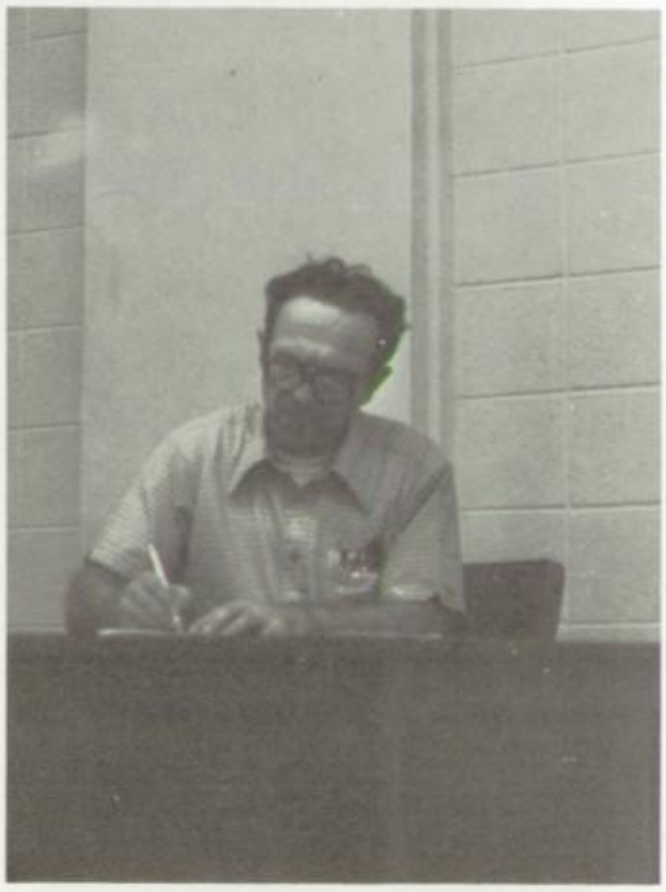

Peace and quiet at last.

Jodi, will you show me how to do that problem again?

EDITOR'S NOTE

The Twelve Days of Our Life

You opened your arms to us,
with crayons and dolls,
merry-go-rounds, naps, trucks.
and the first frightening trip from home
to a place filled with new impressions.
''Mom how can I go to first grade, I don't know how to read?''

See Dan run; see Mary Jump,
while watching teacher scream
at little Bobby Bad Boy,
who won't come in from recess.
''What in the world does 3+3 have to do with anything?''

As Batman and Superman come racing down the hall,
the King of the Hill is being pushed off his snowy throne.
''Look, I can write my name!''

One, two-up, down,
three, four my legs are sore,
but that's how healthy bodies grow.
''For tomorrow, 500 times, I will use school time wisely.''

You ended our childhood,
with vocabulary tests, spelling bees,
and thoughts of growing up.
''Quit acting so immature.''

Six different classes,
where could they all be?
and first dances and glances,
puppy loves possibly.
''No, really I wasn't talking, I couldn't find the classroom.''

You started our thoughts
toward the future,
our dreams, our hopes, what we would be.
''Which should I take biology or home-ec?''

Homework, Homecoming and headaches
while Friday seemed miles away.
''Hey dad, my class ring cost $72.''

Business, Chemistry, Vo-tech, clubs, and sports;
tournaments, concerts, prom, and awards.
''No, we didn't all skip; there was an epidemic of senioritis.''

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You ended our days with a promise of fulfilling our dreams.
You loved us, while we ignored you;
you believed in us, while we lacked confidence.
You gave us hope and learning and a dream, while we complained.

If it seems that we do not appreciate you,
let me say, we do love you in our own way.
Thank you for those twelve days, yes days, not years,
for it was too short to be years.

"Oh very young what will you leave us this time,
you're only dancing on this earth for a short while,
and though you want it to last forever,
you know it never will,
and the goodbye makes the journey harder still."

1 "Oh Very Young", Cat Stevens

Jodi Riccio

As editor of the Mt. Iron annual I would like to thank all the Seniors and underclassmen, who cooperated to make this production possible. I would especially like to thank Sue Pavlovich, June Larson, Donna Cerkvenik, Mary Kaye Buffetta, Sam Torma, Jim Tieberg and our advisor, Mr. Sauve, who dedicated themselves to a task that seemed so insurmountable at times.

Once again,
Jodi

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HONORS

NATIONAL HONOR SOCIETY

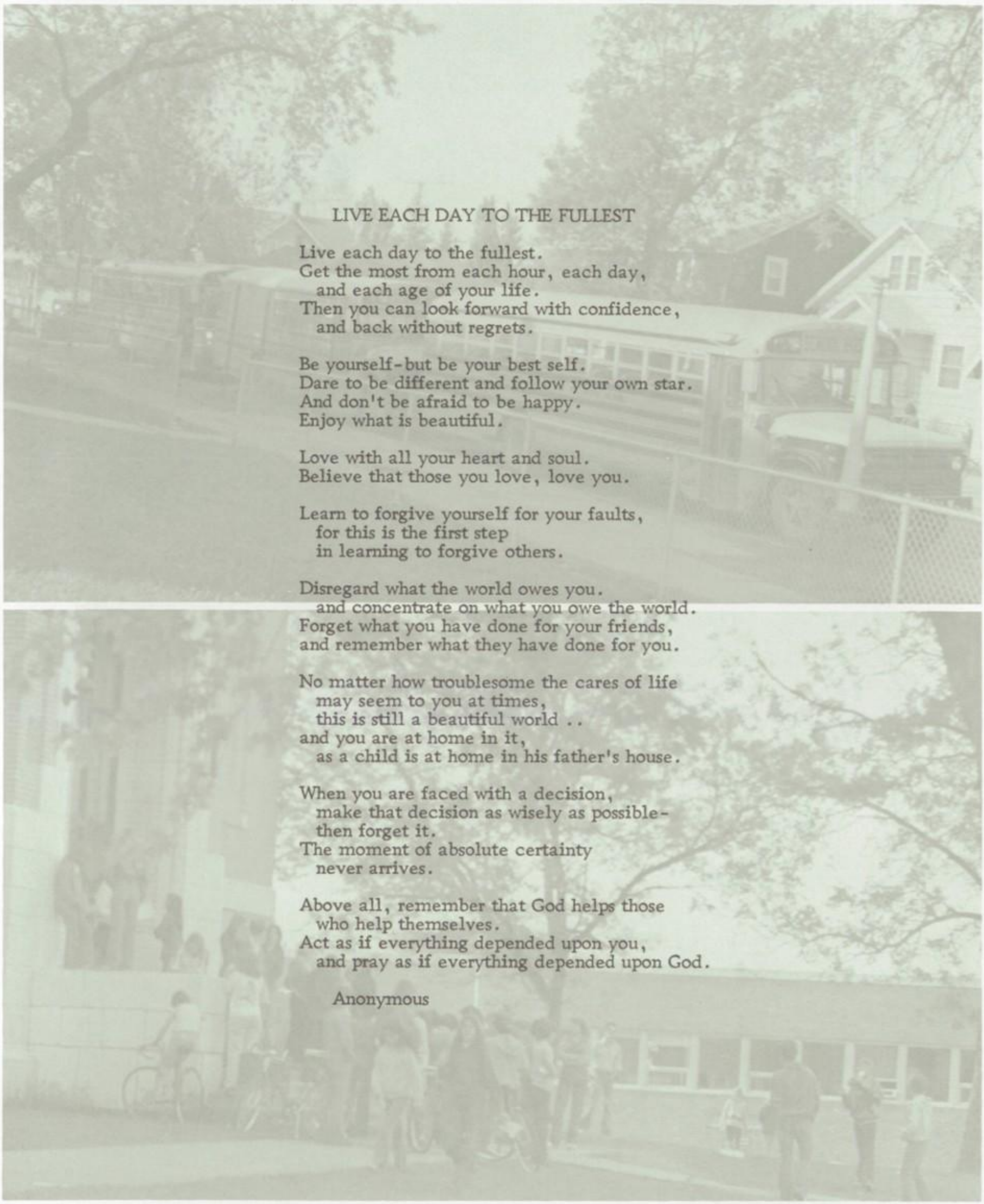
FRONT ROW: (L-R), M. Buffetta, A. Mahonen, J. Riccio. SECOND ROW: S. Wolfe, K. Swanson, L. Johnson. THIRD ROW: L. Jarvela, J. Tieberg, P. Buria. FOURTH ROW: M. Giorgi, D. Lanari, C. Oie.

UMD HONOR BAND

Karen Swanson (euphonium), Sue Johnson (clarinet), Craig Olsen (tuba).

GIRLS' STATE

Susan Pavlovich



LIVE EACH DAY TO THE FULLEST

Live each day to the fullest.
Get the most from each hour, each day,
and each age of your life.
Then you can look forward with confidence,
and back without regrets.

Be yourself-but be your best self.
Dare to be different and follow your own star.
And don't be afraid to be happy.
Enjoy what is beautiful.

Love with all your heart and soul.
Believe that those you love, love you.

Learn to forgive yourself for your faults,
for this is the first step
in learning to forgive others.

Disregard what the world owes you.
and concentrate on what you owe the world.
Forget what you have done for your friends,
and remember what they have done for you.

No matter how troublesome the cares of life
may seem to you at times,
this is still a beautiful world . .
and you are at home in it,
as a child is at home in his father's house.

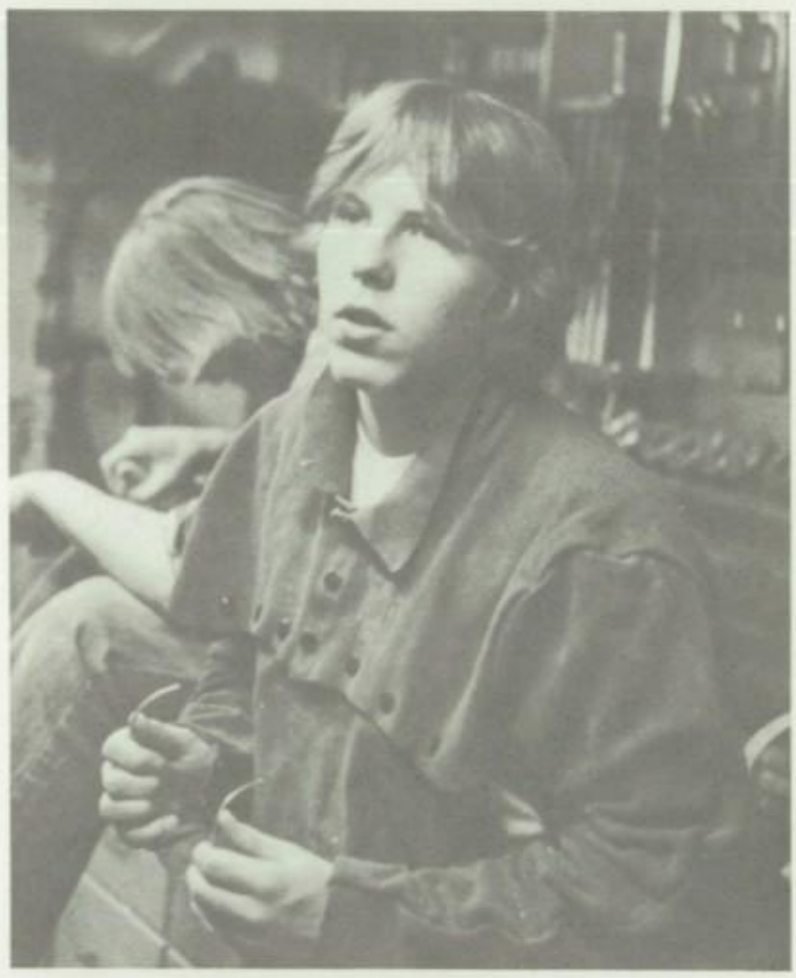
When you are faced with a decision,
make that decision as wisely as possible-
then forget it.
The moment of absolute certainty
never arrives.

Above all, remember that God helps those
who help themselves.
Act as if everything depended upon you,
and pray as if everything depended upon God.

Anonymous

Arthur! What did you do to my pie?

Kiss departing for their next concert.

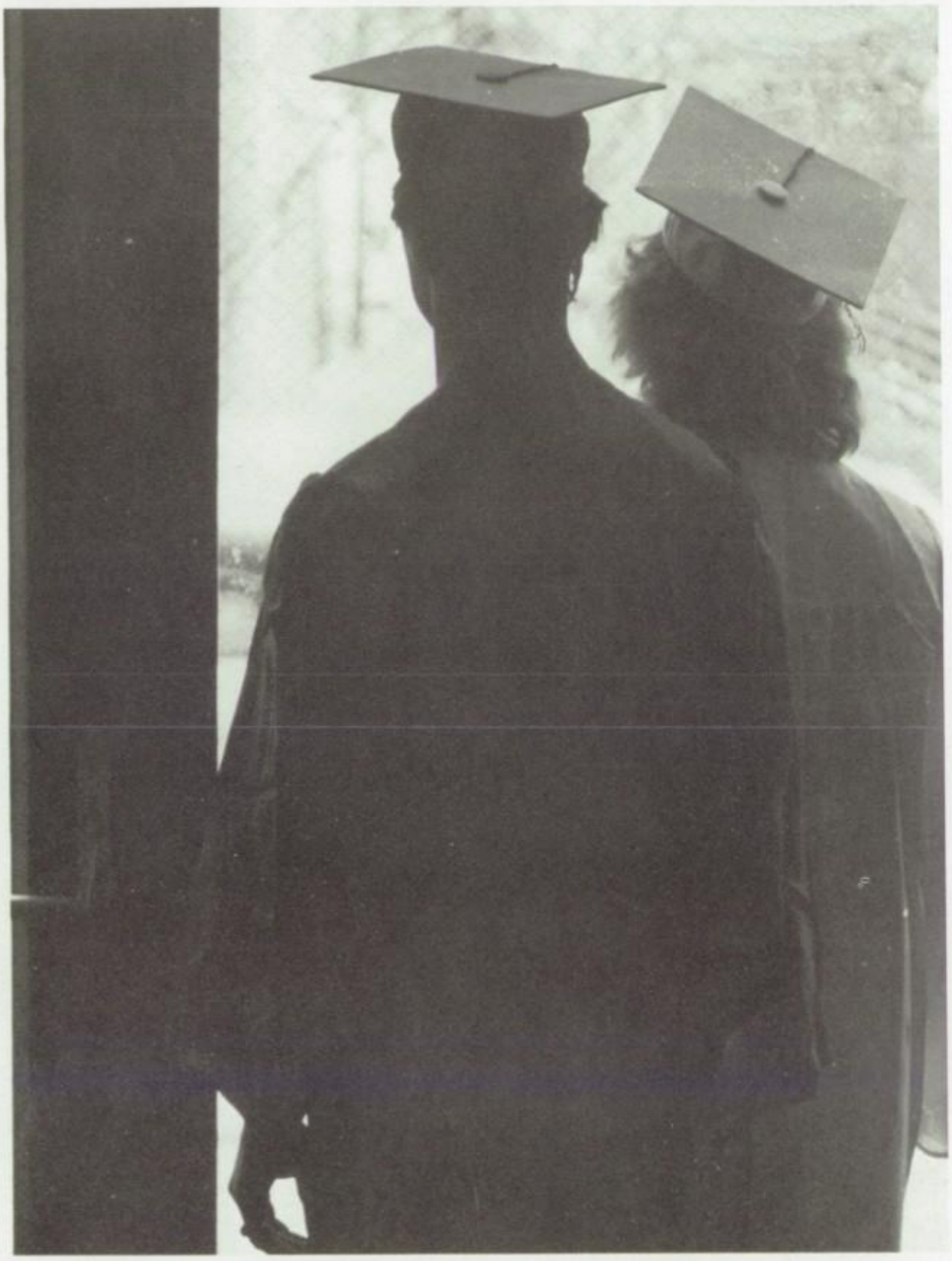


You mean I was supposed to wear the glasses?

Prospects for the zoo — not the basketball court.

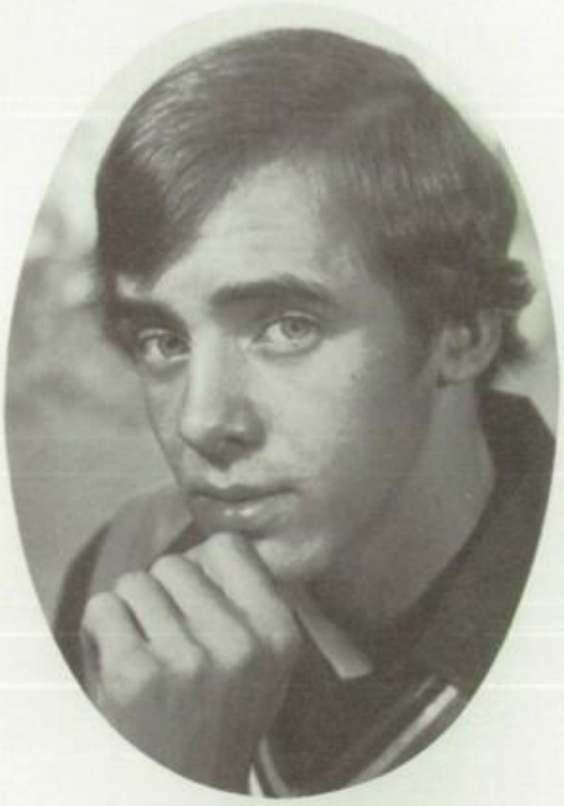
Looks like another subdued crowd.

It's the Cookie-Monster!!!



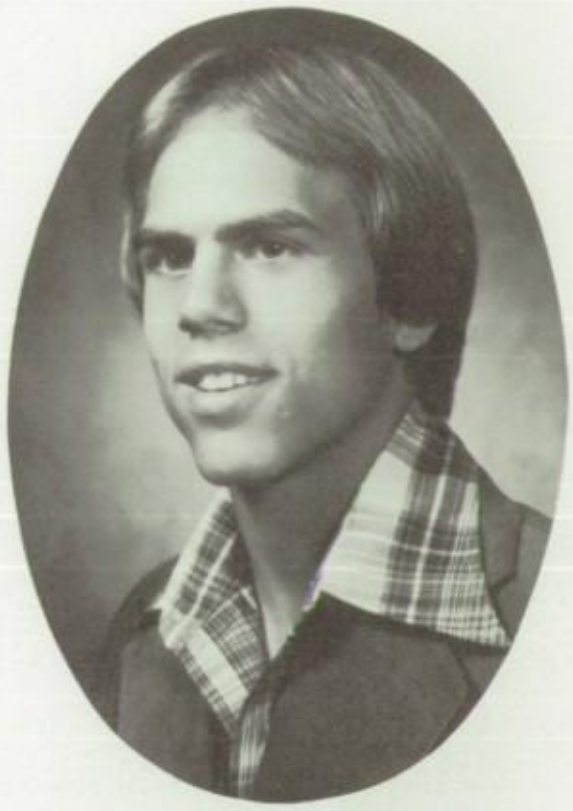
SENIORS

Jeff Achman
''Jeff''
Men love to wonder and that is the seed of science.



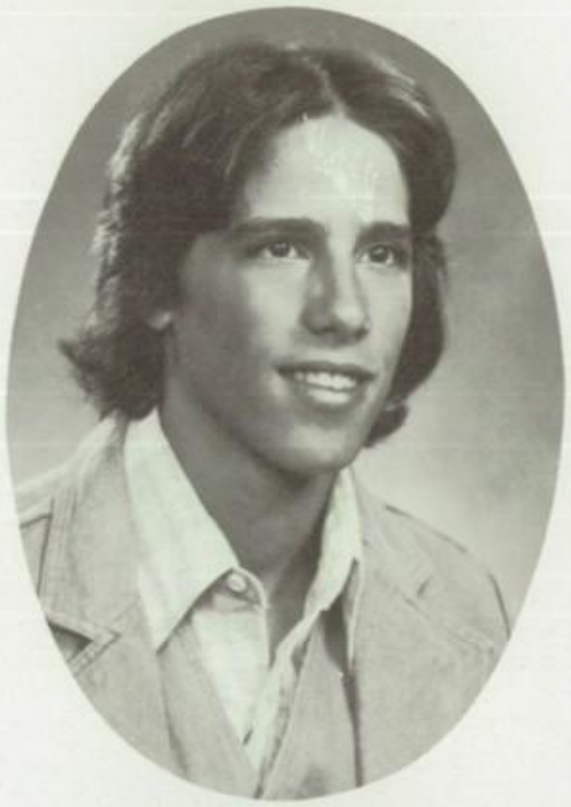
Mary Kaye Buffetta
''Mary Kaye''
Though her blush is well known, her seeds of friendship are well sown.

Gregory Anderson
''Andy''
One who has a hearty desire for just the right sports.



Paul Buria
''Bird''
Who said money isn't everything.

Richard Bennett
''Ricky''
''I do not think winning is the most important thing. I think winning is the only thing.



Raymond Bushey
''Ray''
The only way to have a friend is to be one.

Donna Cerkvenik
''Donna''
Don't walk in front of me for I may not follow; do not walk behind me for I may not lead. Walk beside me and be my friend.

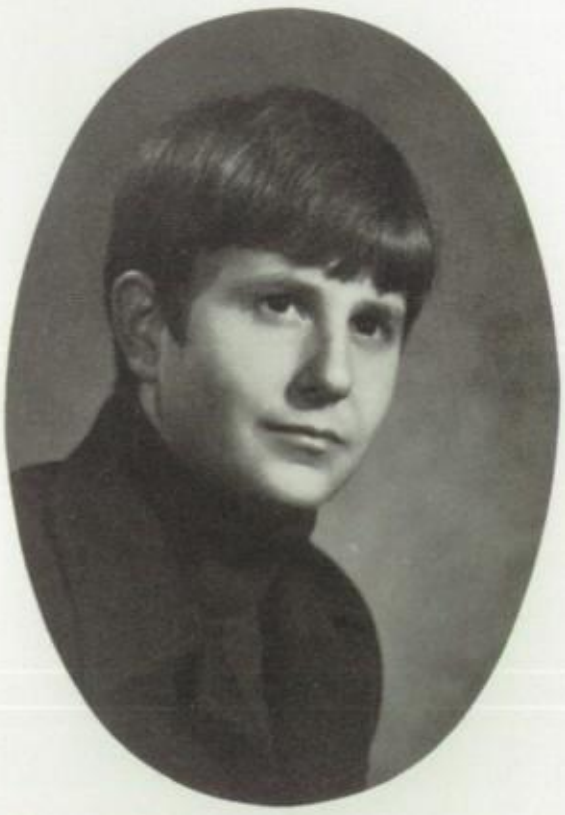
Michael Dahlgren
''Mike''
In order to make sense out of anything, you must put some sense into it.

Mary Coleman
''Mar''
The kindest things in the kindest way is what she's always sure to say.

Daniel Downs
''Dan''
He's inclined to be shy until you get to know him.

Patricia Crea
''Sep''
Why take life too seriously, we'll never get out of it alive.

Linda Eck
''Linda''
After all, what's a halo? It's only one more thing to clean.



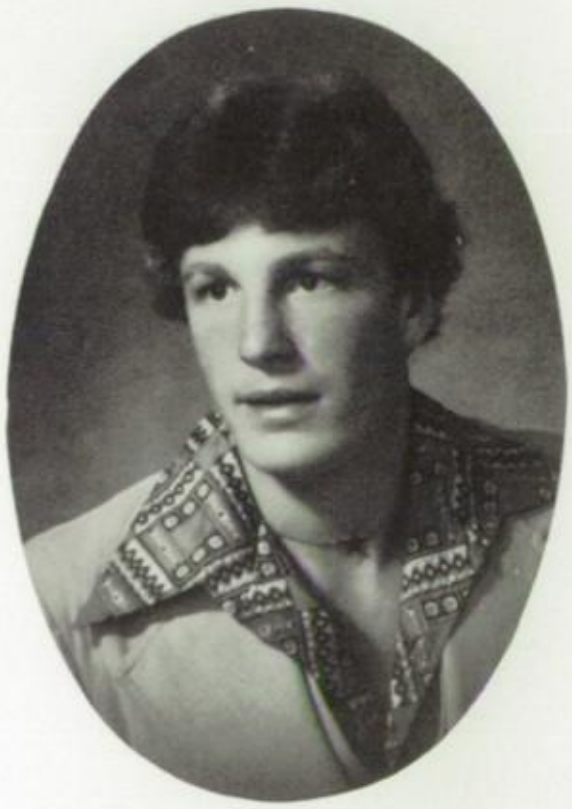
Warren Eddy
''Warren''
A word of advice; don't give it.

Charles Ellenberger
''Charles''
Getting up just one more time after falling means success.

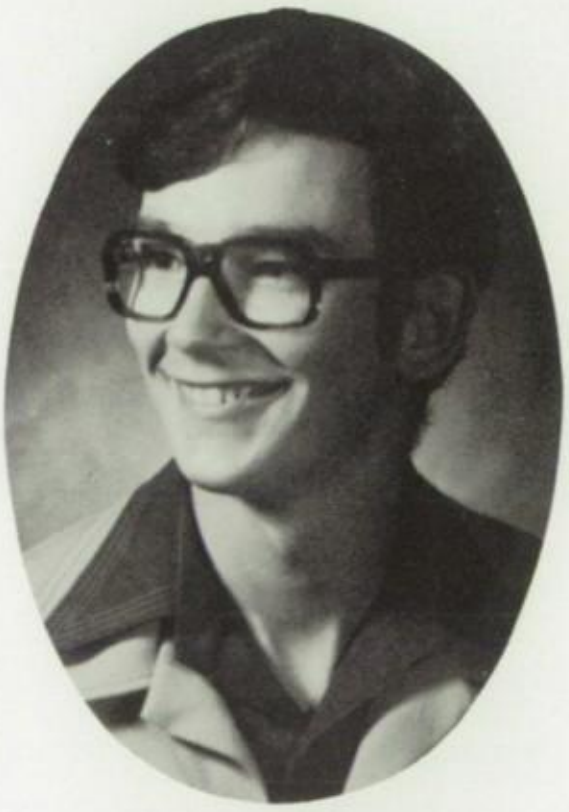
David Elsner
''Dave''
It's better never to begin if you can't make it end.

Clyde Forsland
''Clyde''
Those who go feel not the pain; it is they who stay that suffer.

Charles Frericks
''Charlie''
The trouble with the straight and narrow path is there's no place to park.



Michael Giorgi
''Jay''
The fool wonder; the wise man asks.



Mary Giroux
''Mary''
In school she is quite shy, but on the outside, my, oh my!

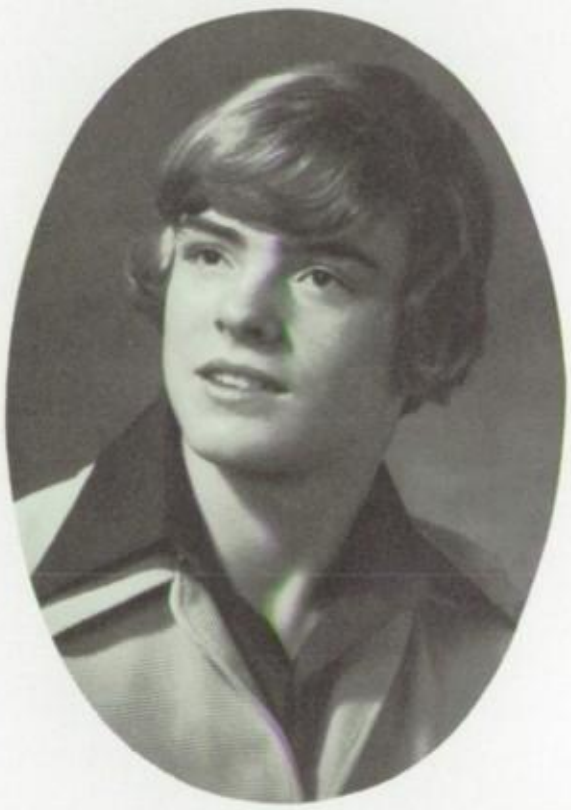
Jodean Hames
''Jody''
A friend is one who knows all about you, and loves you just the same.

Steven Henke
''Hank''
And if I should lose, let me stand by the road and cheer as the winners go by.

Larry Herzog
''Larry''
If you must argue, go your way, for I'm in the right, that's all I say.

Scott Hildreth
''Scott''
I love work — I could sit and watch it for hours.

Dale Hovet
''Dale''
Ask no questions and you will be told no lies.



Larry Jarvela
''Jarv''
It is better to profit by a horrible example than to be one.

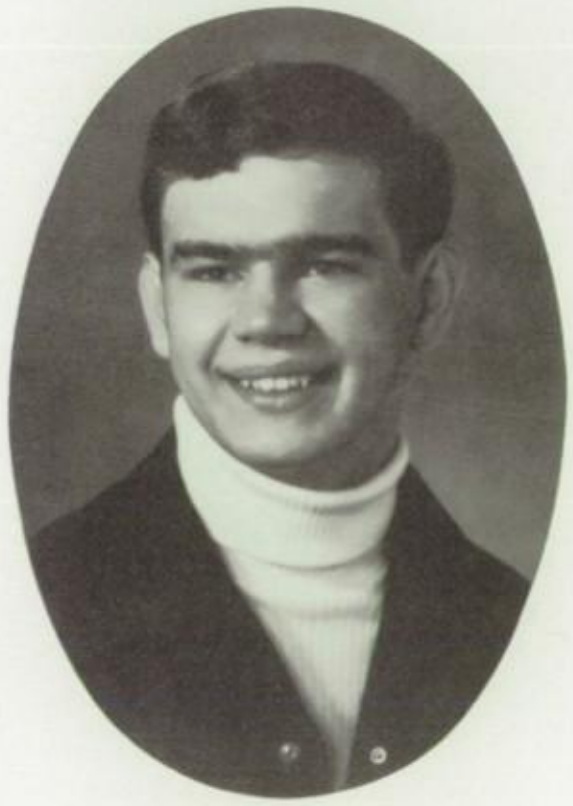
James Johnson
''Scrounger''
Winning isn't everything, but wanting to win is.

JoAnne Jenko
''Jo''
She may be good in school; but that doesn't mean much.

Lois Johnson
''Lois''
The only thing you cannot have unless you give it to others is happiness.

Bennett Johnson
''B.J.''
A good mechanic always comes through in a clutch.

Steven Johnson
''Stevie''
His spirit and enthusiasm are self-evident.



Susan Johnson
''Susie''
A happy smile is a sign of a happy heart.

Jerome Krause
''Jerry''
But still I fear and still I dare not laugh at the Madman.

Michael Kishel
''Mike''
Life is a one way street and we're not coming back.

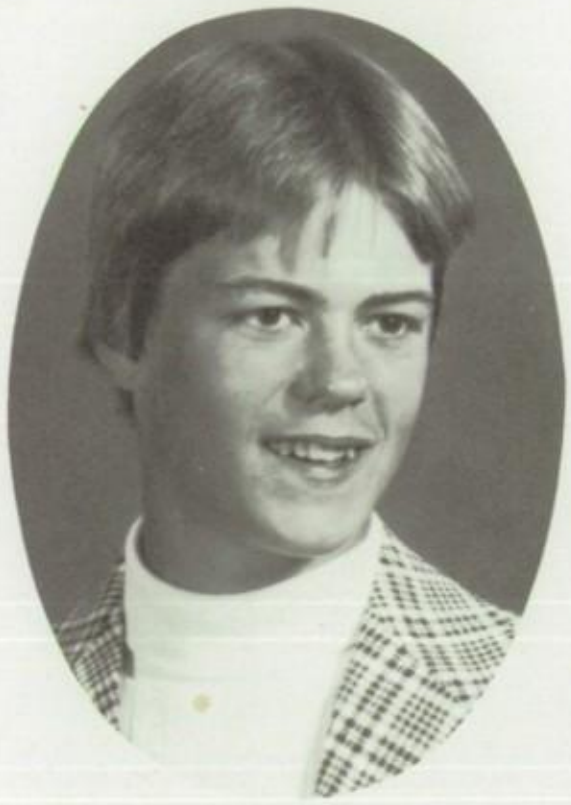
David Lanari
''Dave''
He is rich that is satisfied.

Teresa Kosevich
''Teresa''
If there is nothing to laugh at, life isn't worth living.

Timothy Langowski
''Weiner''
Many men are measured by inches; but I am measured by feet.

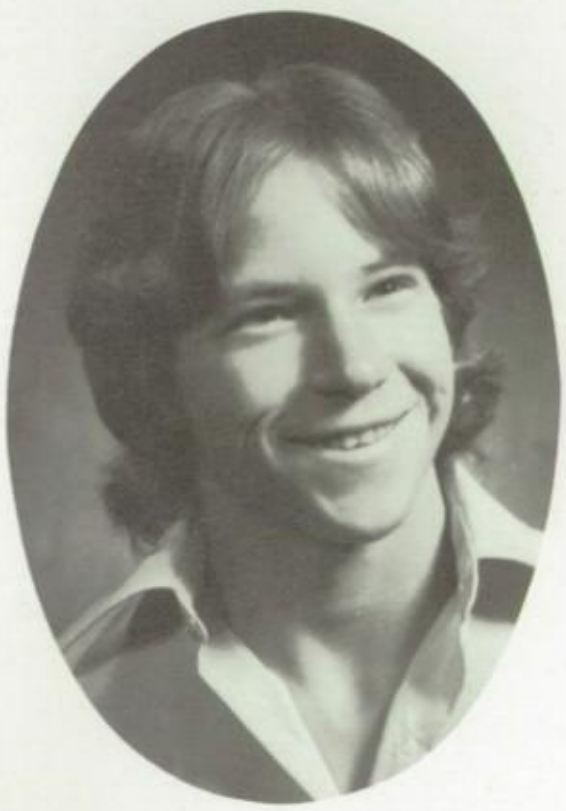
June Larson
''June Bug''
May all my dreams come true — knock on wood.

Anne Mahonen
''Un''
It's better to be small and shine than to be large and cast a shadow.



Scott McDermid
''Squid''
All great men die young. Hmmm ... I don't feel so well myself.

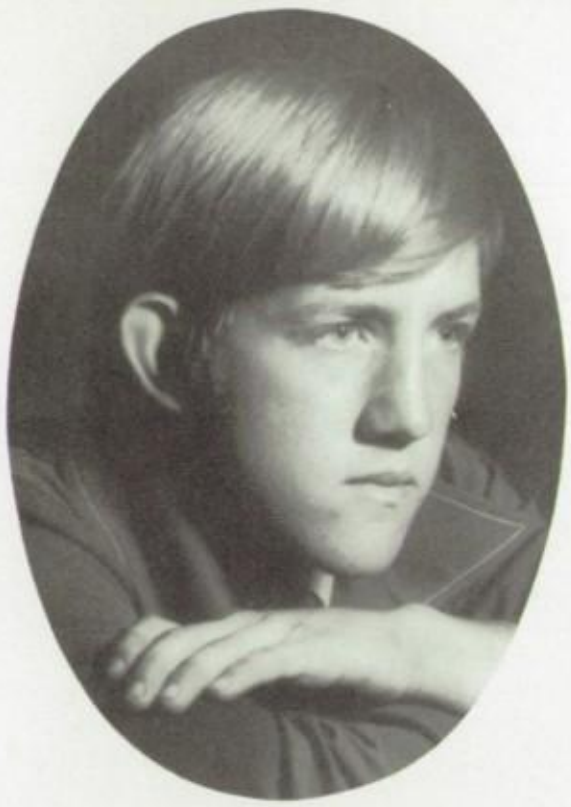
Daniel McDonald
''Dan''
Trouble is the next best thing to enjoyment.



June Meckola
''June''
Ambitious and true 'till the end, always a good sport and great friend.

Tammy Mitshulis
''Tammy''
Life's a tough proposition, the first hundred years being the most difficult.

James Moore
''Jim''
A yawn is only his silent shout.

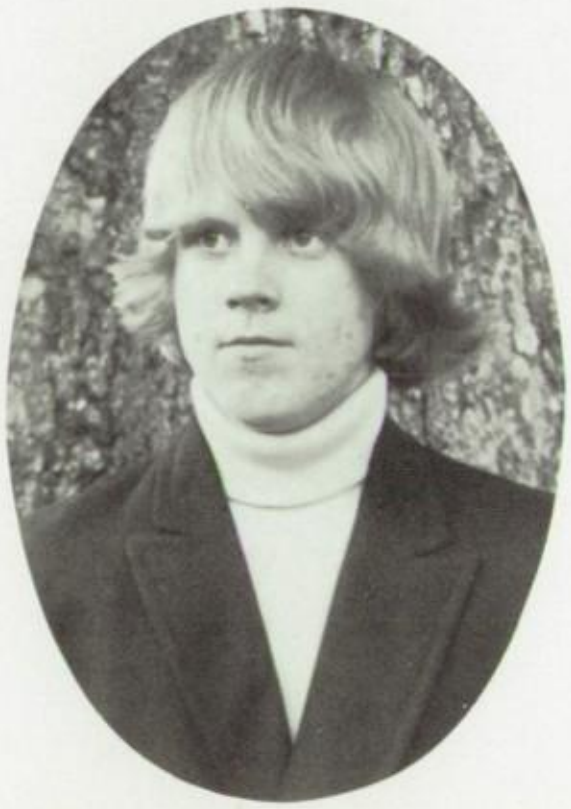


Richard Moore
''Rick''
A person who takes ideas we understand and makes them sound confusing.

Jeffrey Nichols
''Jeff''
Everything is funny as long as it's happening to someone else.

Laurits Nielsen
''Laus''
All men mispronounce a foreign language.

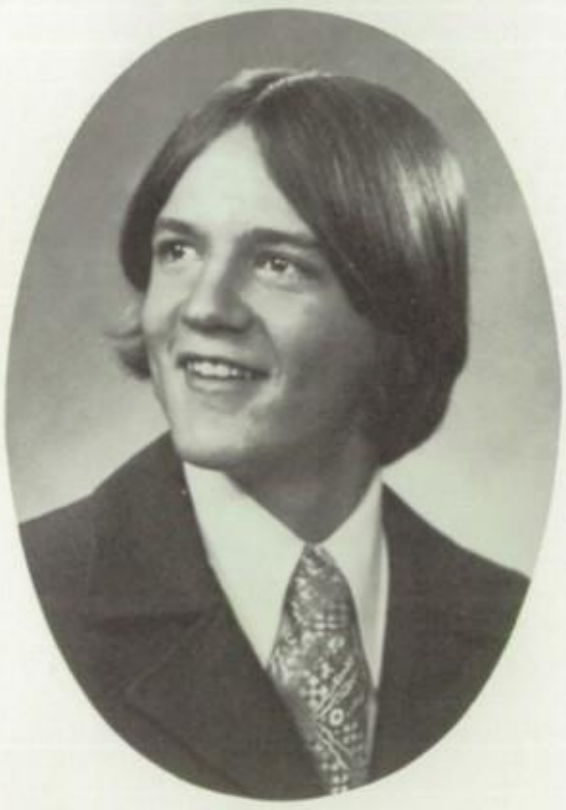
Timothy Niska
''Tim''
I once had insomnia so bad I couldn't sleep when I was working.



Pamela Nordby
''Pam''
I don't care to know about many things; what I care to know are the things I care about.

Roberta Nordeen
''Berta''
Books and friends should be few and good.

Craig Olsen
''Craig''
Everyone's business is no one's business.



Margaret Norha
''Margaret''
Success is getting what you want and happiness is wanting what you get.

Arthur Ostman
''Art''
If you don't say anything, you won't be called on to repeat it.

Casey Oie
''Ace''
Praise makes good men better and bad men worse.

Eva Paul
''Eva''
She can resist anything but temptation.

Susan Pavlovich
''Susan''
Blessed are those who give without remembering and take without forgetting.

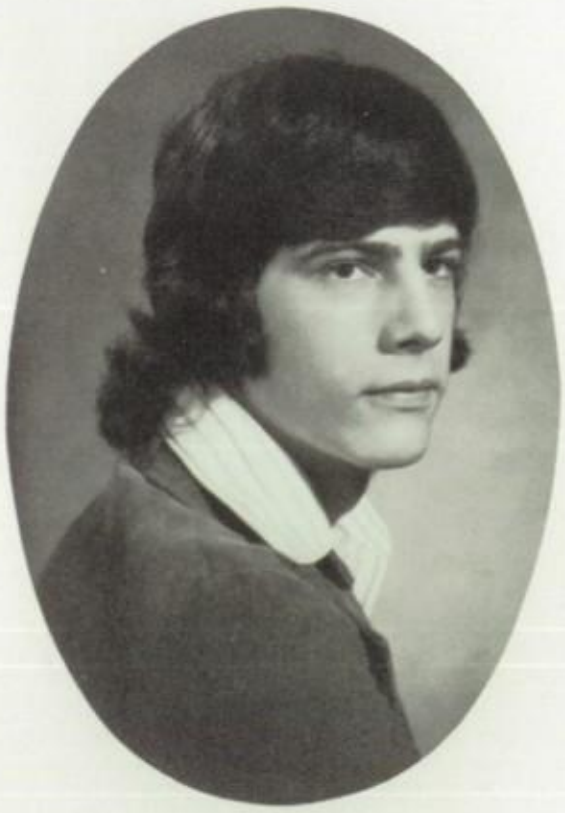
Marvin Saltzman
''Marv''
The hardest way to make a living is to work.

Daniel Pecarina
''Dan''
He's not forward, he's not shy, he's just an all around good guy.

Lori Sartori
''Lori''
The only mischief I regret is that I haven't done.

Jodi Riccio
''Jodi''
A true friend advises justly, assists readily, adventures boldly, takes all patiently, defends courageously, and continues a friend unchangeably.

Frank Scinto
''Frank''
Never doubt what no one is ever sure about.



Albert Sequin
''Sledge''
I was not put here to meet your expectations and you were not put here to meet up to mine.

Paul Sikich
''Paul''
I don't care to know about many things, What I care to know are the things I care about.

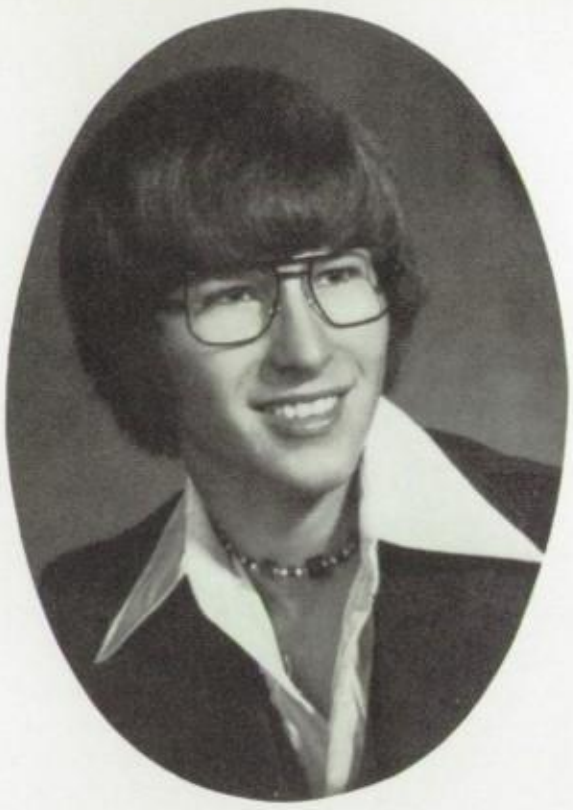
Kevin Squillace
''Kevin''
A fello who smiles at you over the back fence but never climbs over it.

Roger Stanaway
''Rog''
Yes, You'd know him for a heathen if you judged him by the hide. But bless you, He's my Brother.

Ronald Stanaway
''Ron''
A wise man knows that there is more than he knows.

Karen Swanson
''Kar''
She who is able to do too much wants to be able to do more than she is able.

James Tieberg
''Jim''
There are two sides to everything, my side and the wrong side.



Samuel Torma
''Sam''
The woods are made for the hunters of dreams; the brooks for the fishers of songs. To the hunters who hunt for the sunless game; the streams and the woods belong.

Kenneth White
''Yates''
Never again means until the next time.

Ted Winans
''Ted''
School is not a bad place if you have to go-all I want to get out of it is myself.

Susan Wolfe
''Sue''
You're only young once, after that you'll have to think up some other excuses.

Lori Yost
''Lori''
Life is short; she is here to enjoy it.

Joseph Zupancich
''Zup''
A mistake is evidence that someone has tried to accomplish something.

Perseas Houtopoulos
''Sakis''
He is not happy who does not think himself so.

Robert Jordan
''Bob''
A good friend should be like a firefly; it shines most bright in the dark.

Shawn McGregor
''Shawn''
Standing on a hill in my mountain of dreams telling myself it's not as hard as it seems.

In Memory Of

LARRY COLANGELO

Like the seasons,
life renews its buds
in spring,
grows and flourishes in the
bright light of the summer sun,
matures in the
golden hue of the autumn days,
rests in the soft whiteness of winter,
to begin anew.

CLASS COLORS

Royal Blue and Light Blue

CLASS FLOWER

Blue-tipped Carnation

CLASS MOTTO

If we shoot at the sun,
we may hit a star.

-P.T. Barnum

SENIOR CLASS OFFICERS: Left to right, Class Advisor, Mr. Lind; Vice President, Larry Herzog; Secretary, June Meckola; Treasurer, Jeff Achman; President, Roger Stanaway. Not pictured, Student Council Representative, Craig Olsen.

I do have my best side showing.

He's compassionate, loving and sweet-and doesn't wet the bed.

St. Bernard would have approved.

The ''brains'' of Physics.

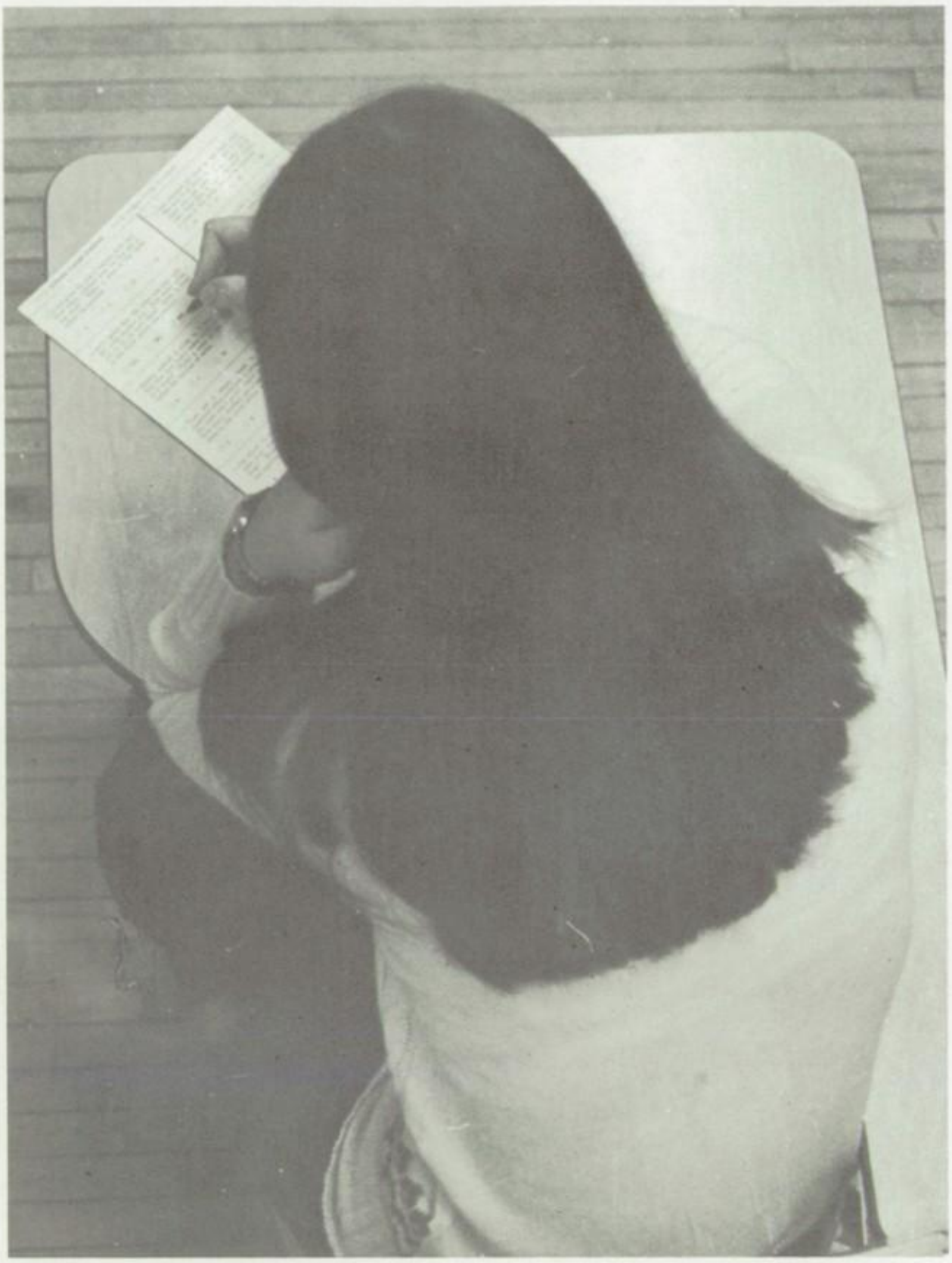
Ahahahahah . . . ! (do you beat your chest too, Kenny?)

Wasn't I supposed to put the dishes in the oven, Ollie?

Nichol's Harem.

Ah-h-h-h-h, the conceit of a car.

Oooops . . . . I blooped again!



UNDERCLASSMEN

UPCOMING SENIORS

CLASS OF "79"

Brett Bennett

Steven Carlson

Mary Cerkvenik

Gina Colangelo

Marshall Cook

Bill Dahlgren

Michael Downs

Curtis Dyrdahl

Bonnie Elofson

Mary Easterday

Julie Forseen

Lisa Frericks

Deanne Giersdorf

Jolene Gilbert

Charles Giorgi

Robert Giorgi

Janine Giru

Patrick Griner

Martin Halverson

Jayne Haugejorde

Julie Jenner

Karen Johnson

Lois Kauppila

Susan Lanari

Martha Langowski

Ann Majetich

Michelle Maki

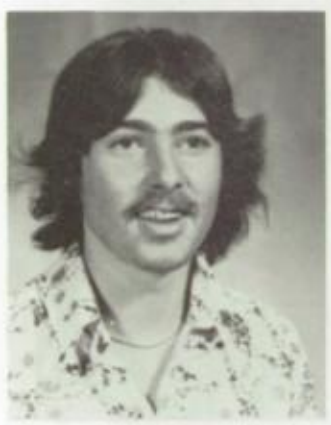
Rene Makynen

Janine Marchildon

Darrell Mattila

Steve Mattson

Chris McDermid



Gary McKay

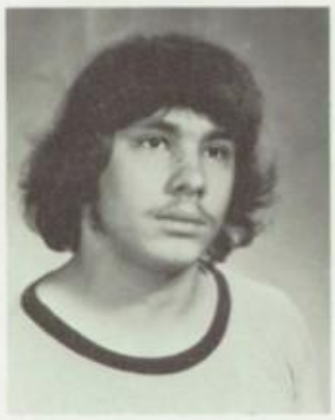
Ken McLellan

David Meados

Rhonda Meyer

Steve Newberg

Holly Nikkinen



John Nikolanci

Mary Niska

Wilner Nordeen

Lynn Novak

Beth Noyes

Wanda Palokangas

Jeff Paschke

Anna Pender

Bob Peterson

Tammy Peterson

David Pry

Michael Saari

Tom Satrang

Shawn Scinto

Michele Seguin

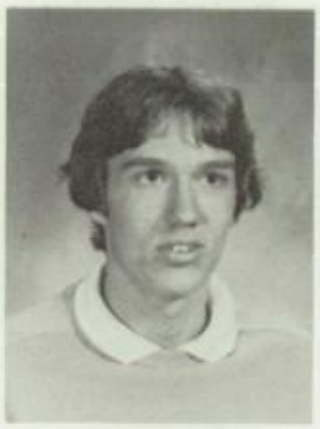
Carol Shaleen

Carrie Shosten

Mary Skaudis

Roxanne Skinner

Clara Skogman



Danny Sojka

Yvonne Sprague

Robert Stillwell

Tracy Talevson

Kelly Thurman

Barb Ulicsni

Scott Weappa

Becky Westom

Janelle Wiitala

Connie Winans

Not pictured are:

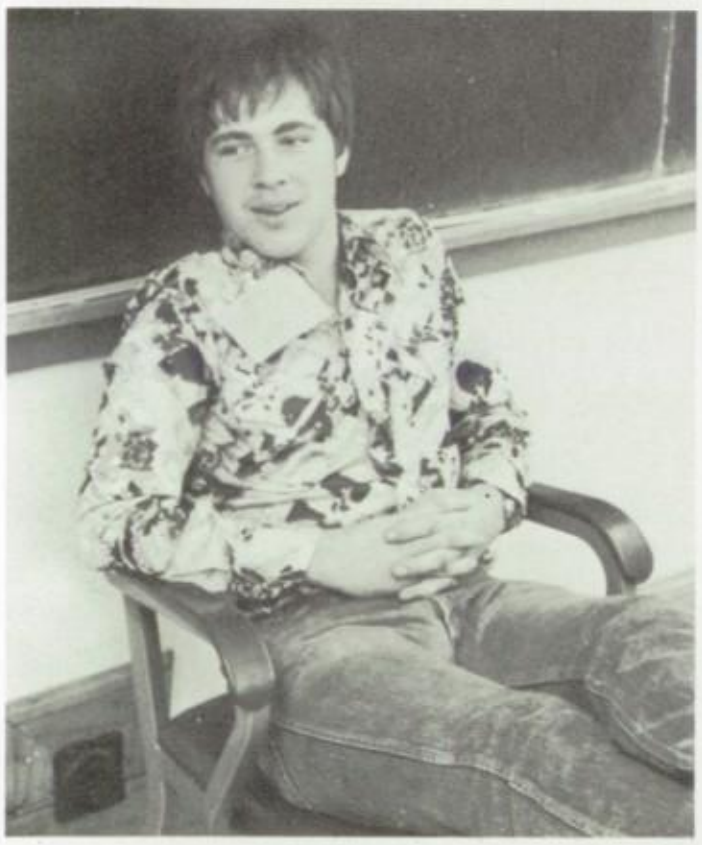
Richard Dundas

Douglas Olson

Michael Rossi

JUNIOR CLASS OFFICERS: Front row, left to right, Vice President, Dan Sojka; President, Marty Halverson; Secretary, Janine Marchildon. Back row, Class Advisor, Mr. Sauve; Treasurer, Charles Giorgi; Student Council Representative, Steve Mattson.

As in other years, the Junior Class has been very busy. First, Homecoming plans were made. This year's skit featured the "Gong Show", and "The Problems of Fall Homecoming." It took many dedicated chairmen to make the Homecoming a success. They included: Spaghetti Supper-Janelle Wiitala; Coronation-Barb Uliscni; Skit-Mary Cerkvenik, Lois Kauppila; Button Sales-Charles Giorgi; Decorating-Tammy Peterson, Scott Weappa, Ann Majetich, Beth Noyes; Dance-Lisa Frericks. Magazine sales also began on Homecoming Day. Chairman Mary Cerkvenik and assistant chairmen, Tammy Peterson, Ann Majetich, Beth Noyes, Bonnie Elofson, Nina Marchildon, and Lynn Novak rallied the class to meet their goal of $3,000. Top salespersons included Mary Cerkvenik, Carol Shaleen, Chris McDermid, and Steve Mattson. The class purchased their expensive, but cherished class rings. The average cost ran between $59 and $70. Planning the Junior-Senior Prom was another event in which the Junior Class participated.



LEFT: Oh, not bad these so-called foreigners.

RIGHT: You mean if I drink this I will look like Farrah Fawcett!

RIGHT: I've sure had chapped lips since I lost my lipsmacker!

''I may not be the greatest, just the best!''

''I just love writing English themes . . .''

The Three Iceketeers.

''I'll get a pass and meet you at . . . .''

''Seventeen! I'll trade it in for 18!''

''Isn't this the Turnabout?''

"78'S" JUNIORS

CLASS OF "80"

Andy Achman

Michael Anderson

Michelle Anderson

Denise Bechtold

Gerald Berry

Joseph Bennett

Larry Brunfelt

Brian Buria

Joyce Buria

Sandy Carron

Steven Cerkvenik

Morgan Cook

Connie Crippen

Nancy Dahl

Nancy Dahlgren

Michael Duzan

Dawn Erchul

Christine Fabish

Kim Finnerty

Jonathan Giorgi

Veronica Glover

Gary Golblirisch

Terry Hansen

Bradley Hanson

Sheryl Haugen

James Hovet

Jane Iverson

John Jacobsen

Lennae Jarvela

Carole Jenko

Jill Johnson

Robert Johnson

Richard Jourdain

Thomas Kosevich

Robert Kuntz

Liz Lanari

Ann Marie Lubovich

Linda Mahnke

Seppo Mahonen

Tom Maki

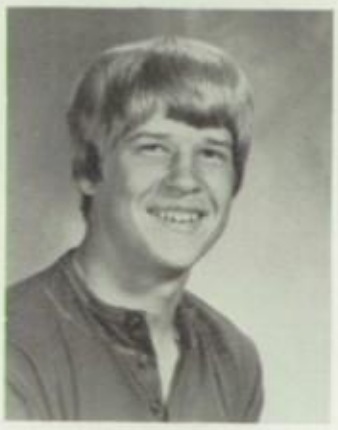
Laura Marchildon

Brenda Marmas

Frances Martin

Shane McGregor

Robin Nelson



Charles Newberg

Kenneth Olsen

Ronald Ostman

Kraig Paul

Kenneth Pender

Candace Peterson

Jodie Phaneuf

Charles Porter

Jon Prebeg

Tim Rossi

Joel Scinto

Gary Secola

Rhett Skahl

Roberta Skala

David Solinger

Wendy Squillace

Barb Stanaway

Vern Suihkonen

Henry Tapio

Tony Tieberg

Richard Tuomala

Jill Vuckovich

Randa Weappa

Shelly Westom

Jeffrey White

Not pictured is:

Kathryn Hanson

SOPHOMORE CLASS OFFICERS: Left to right, Vice-President, Jill Johnson; President, Mike Duzan; Secretary, Wendy Squillace; Treasurer, Ann Marie Lubovich; Student Council Representative, Larry Brunfelt; Class Advisor, Mr. Hardy.

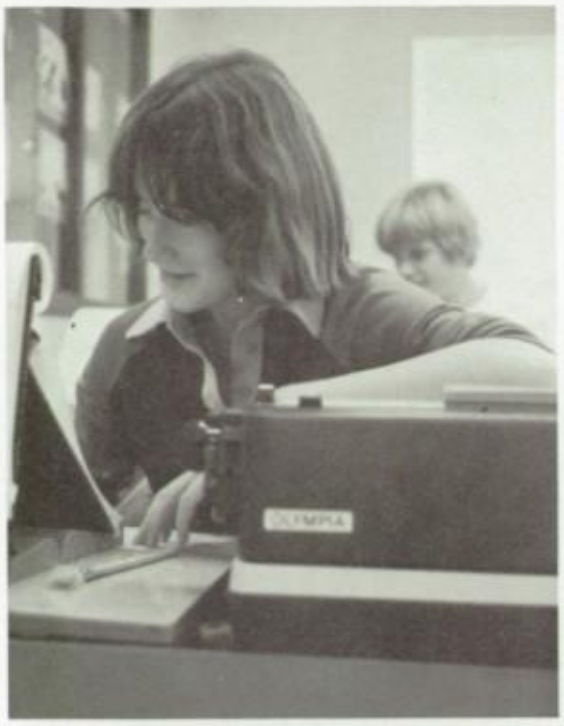
Come on let's cheat, he left the room.

Now I want you to awaken when I snap my fingers.

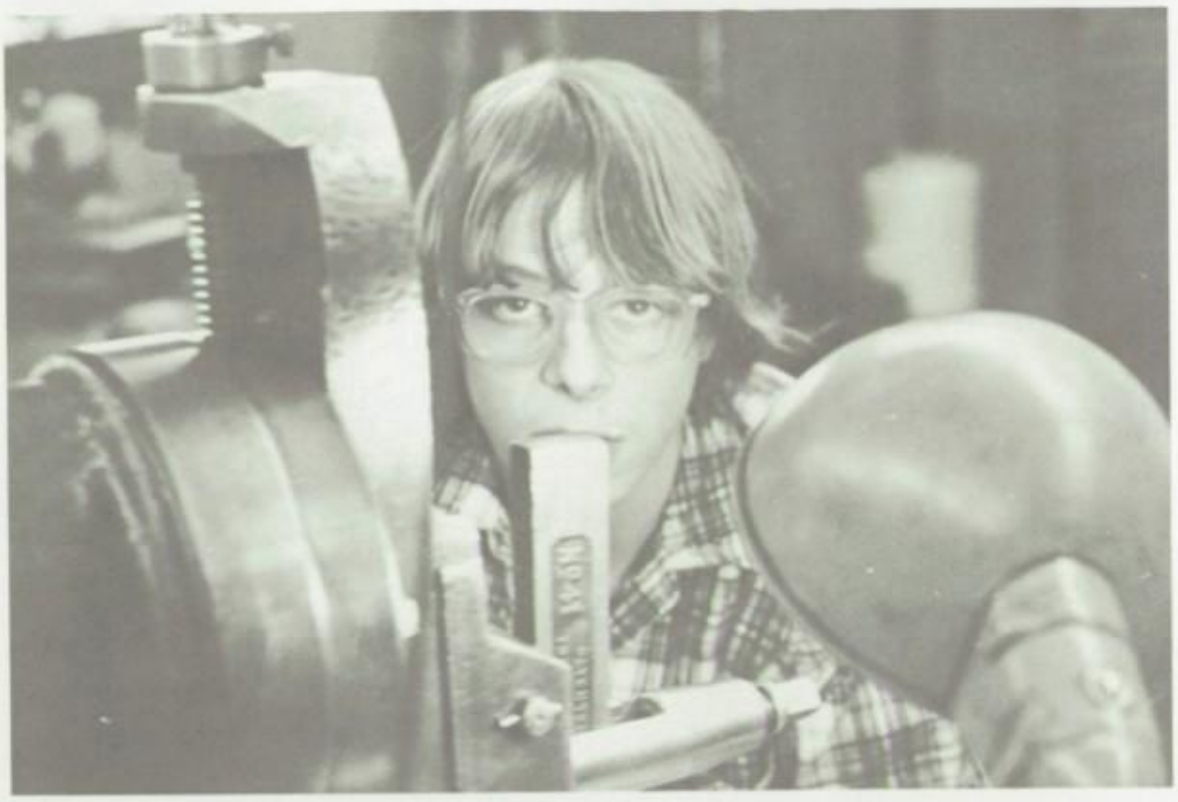
I wonder if Minntac would like this?

Goofed again!

The class of 1980 was kept busy this year with candy and pom pom sales during the Fall Homecoming. Top salesmen in the candy sales included: Mr. Hardy, first; Shane McGregor, second; and Joel Scinto, third. Combined sales from candy and pom poms totaled almost $700. The success of the sales will give the sophomore class a good start for next year.



Let's see, if I use two fingers . . .



A snickers tastes better.

I can hardly wait till after the game.

Thought you could fool me, huh?

I'm not going to cut that frog tomorrow.

Hey, what did you and bobo do last night?

ASPIRING SOPHS

CLASS OF "81"

Mark Anderson

Shelly Bennett

Debbie Buria

Mary Buria

Lois Bushey

Vernon Bushey

Karen Coleman

Edward Cook

Mary Corcoran

Michael Dundas

Lora Ellenberger

Robert Elofson

Ricky Erchul

Teri Ersbo

Cynthia Forseen

Sheri Giorgi

Donna Gobats

Sonja Haugejorde

Debra Huderly

Charlotte Jacobsen

Kathryn Johnson

Brian King

Robert Kintner

Matt Kishel

Bruce Kochevar

Beth Koivisto

Kris Kotyk

Cheryl Kraskey

Francine Kristian

Dean Krueger

James Langowski

Pam Lind

Steven Lipka

Clay Mariucci

Terrence McDermid

Cathy McLellan

David Murray

Lynn Newberg

Terrence Niska

Thomas Nordeen

Joey Olsen

Joyce Olsen

James Paavala

Todd Paul

Alan Pecarina

Amy Peloquin

Shelby Pernu

Daniel Peterson

Tim Peterson

Susan Pocket

Mary Prebeg

Doreen Riccio

Jerry Richards

Linda Rowe

Michael Ruud

Brent Saari

Tim Salo

Ted Sartori

Calvin Seguin

Walter Shaleen

Todd Sprague

Thomas Welsh

Bob White

Brian Youngstrom

Help! I've got the reed stuck on my tongue!

FRESHMAN CLASS OFFICERS: Front row, left to right, Vice President, Shelby Pernu; President, Tom Welsh; Secretary, Shelly Bennett; Student Council Representative, Brent Saari; Treasurer, Sheri Giorgi.

. . . And a side here, then a top.

Wow wait till I tell my dad.

AFter three weeks of ninth grade science.

The Claw!

Hey, should we take a break?

Look Mr. Skinner, we can do it too.

FUTURE FRESHMEN

CLASS OF "82"

Brian Aho

Rhonda Allen

Michael Anderson

Corrine Barone

Annette Bennett

Robert Blake

Wade Braun

Tammy Carlson

Scot Christenson

John Christianson

Raymond Dall

Debra Easty

Jon Ellegard

Russell Ellenberger

Ann Frank

Marty Gish

Ernest Gust

Julie Halverson

Julie Jalonen

Michael Jenko

Craig Johnson

Thomas Johnson

Natalie Kivi

Lauren Kiwus

Kim Klabunde

Brenda Kochevar

Timothy Korpi

Terry Kosola

Jill Kotyk

Carrie Langowski

Brent Lipka

Shelly Lustila

Donna Maki

Alan Mattila

Kevin McGowan

Sheryl Niemi

Brian Nikkinen

Rebecca Norha

Brian Palokangas

Alicia Parenteau

Mark Passi

David Pernu

Sandra Pocket

Jacob Pogorelce

Debra Saari

Marilyn Saltzman

Dawn Scott

Ronald Skinner

Tami Sojka

Kristian Solinger

Jeffrey Takala

Robin Teska

Wade Thurman

Thomas Ulicsni

Kurt Winans

James Woodward

Not pictured are:

Jaquelyn Anderson

Kristine Dundas

Brian Nelson

EIGHTH GRADE CLASS OFFICERS: Front row, left to right, Vice President, Julie Jalonen; President, Jackie Anderson; Secretary, Annette Bennett. Back row, Treasurer, Donna Maki; Student Council Representative, Mike Jenko.

I'll never have the guts to do that again.

(L-R) Sheryl Niemi, Natalie Kivi, Tom Johnson. Seated, Tom Ulicsni, Kristen Solinger.

LEFT: Ah, shop class, how exciting.

What did she say? On grain?

"78'S" EIGHTHS

CLASS OF "83"

Keith Bechtold

Lisa Bennett

Brian Borgman

Shelly Braun

Kathryn Bushey

Ardis Chilstrom

Caroline Corcoran

Debra Ellenberger

Connie Elofson

Melanie Erchul

Lisa Erspamer

Kevin Finnerty

Todd Gabrielson

Brian Giorgi

Mark Gish

Samuel Gobats

Kurt Halverson

Steven Haugen

Erin Hildreth

Steve Hunter

Elaine Iverson

James Jackson

Paul Jackson

Bruce Johnson

Laurel Johnson

Marne Johnson

Stanley Johnson

Dawn Kemppainen

Kristine Kilen

Paul King

Kelly Kingston

Scott Kintner

Scott Korpi

Kristin Koski

Christopher Kraskey

David Kujala

Robert LaKosky

John Lanari

Michael Leo

Gregory Lind

Jeffrey Lipka

Robert Lubovich

Lori Lustila

Laura Maki

Martha Marchildon

Michael Marchildon

Mark Mariucci

Michael Mattson

Raymond McDonald

Diane Newberg

Kimberley Norby

James Oja

Louis Parenteau

Keith Picolet

Janet Porter

Lisa Prebeg

Jonathan Pry

Dena Rodorigo

Scott Ronkainen

John Roskoski

Tina Rossi

Michael Rowe

Jolene Ruud

Darren Saari

Richard Saltzman

Judean Savela

Michael Skinner

Terri Teska

Cheryl Thompson

Joseph Tieberg

Timothy Welsh

Colleen White

SEVENTH GRADE CLASS OFFICERS: Front row, left to right, Vice President, Lori Lustilla; President, Mike Marchildon; Secretary, Lisa Erspamer. Back row, Treasurer, Martha Marchildon; Student Council Representative, Chris Kilen.

After school again, eh.

Practice makes perfect.

Hi Karen.

Catch you later.

Mr. Swanson come get me!

ADMINISTRATION AND FACULTY

FACULTY

LEARNING IS THE REWARD OF THE STUDENT AND THE SATISFACTION OF THE TEACHER

ARTS

Mr. Anderson

Mr. Hunter

Mr. Skinner

BUSINESS

Mrs. Medure

ENGLISH

Mrs. Hanson

Mrs. Kubacki

Mr. Lind

Mrs. Moeller

Mrs. Steichen

HISTORY

Mr. Epp

Mr. Fermoyle

Mr. Lundquist

Mr. Pernu

HOME EC.

Mrs. Mauston

Mrs. Parenteau

LIBRARIAN

Mrs. Omarzu

MATH

Mr. Hardy

Mr. Schmidt

MUSIC

Mr. Hervi

Mr. Trotto

NURSE

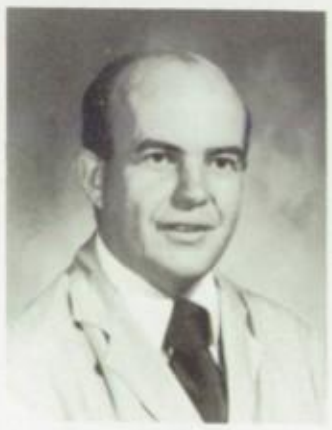
Mrs. Rodorigo

PHY. ED.

Miss Costello

Mr. Swanson

SCIENCE



Mr. Newberg

Mr. Ruuska

MISSING

Art-Mr. Stimac
Counselor-Mr. Zupetz
Business-Mr. Peterson
Music-Mr. Jonas
Science-Mr. Kneifel
Special Education-Mr. Sauve

ADMINISTRATION AND MAINTENANCE

DEDICATION TO DUTY OFTEN GOES UNREWARDED

SCHOOL BOARD: (Seated), Hal Haugejorde, Superintendent; James Jenko, William Uliscni, Barbara Sartori, (Standing), Roderick Erchul, John Westin, William Buria.

SECRETARIES: (Seated), Patty Albrecht, Superintendent's Secretary; Charlene Fredrickson, Caroline King, Barbara Felgen.

HIGH SCHOOL OFFICE: Chester Bakkum, Principal, Ailie Rankila, Principal's Secretary. Missing: Gloria Takala, Assistant Secretary.

COOKS: Ann Barone and Margaret Venne.

JANITORS: Al Norlander, Charlie Muck, and Elwood Johnson.

BUS DRIVER: George Scinto.

LIBRARY AIDE: Wally Samppala.

BUS DRIVER: Dan Riccio.

MISSING BUS DRIVERS
Bob Dodge
Emil Rikala
George Kosevich
Lloyd Stanaway
Francis Gagnon

What a way to keep your wig warm.

I don't understand, it worked in the other class.

You poured water into an acid!

It's current event time!!

Those doctor and nurse jokes get me every time.

T-parties are sure getting PE-CU-LI-AR.

ATHLETICS

FOOTBALL

AH, BUT A MAN'S REACH SHOULD EXCEED HIS GRASP . . .

FRONT ROW: (L-R) S. Henke, C. Frericks, P. Buria, C. Oie, G. Anderson (Capt.) K. White, L. Herzog, J. Tieberg, F. Scinto, T. Langowski, S. McDermid, J. Johnson. SECOND ROW : (L-R) S. Cerkvenik, J. White, B. Peterson, M. Rossi, S. Mattson, J. Paschke, R. Bushey, R. Moore, M. Cook, M. Downs, D. Mattila, B. Johnson, T. Tieberg. THIRD ROW: (L-R) T. Satrang (Manager), M. Giorgi (Manager), J. Prebeg, G. Golirisch, J. Bennett, A. Achman, M. Duzan, T. Kosevich, B. Hansen, C. Newberg, S. McGregor, T. Maki, G. Secola, P. Lubovich (Coach).

SCOREBOARD

		MI
Gilbert	0	34
Buhl	14	0
Ely	7	6
Nashwauk-Keewatin	6	24
Babbit	0	18
Chisholm	0	31
Rush City	18	42
Biwabik	22	14

RECORD: 5 wins, 3 losses

It was a new season, with a new coach, as the 1977 version of the Red Raiders football team made their debut against the Gilbert Buccaneers. The Raiders looked impressive in their win, but the season held other surprises in store. The Buhl Bulldogs ran up a high score to shut out the Raiders and, surprisingly, the Ely team topped them by a slight margin.

The Raiders experienced a period of domination over their opponents as they beat Nashwauk-Keewatin, Chisholm, Rush City, and Babbitt. Unfortunately the season ended with a loss to Biwabik.

During the season several players achieved various honors. Among the All-Conference recipients were: Paul Buria, Greg Anderson, and Tim Langowski. Larry Herzog, Frank Scinto, and Casey Oie received honorable mention. Voted most valuable player was Paul Buria.

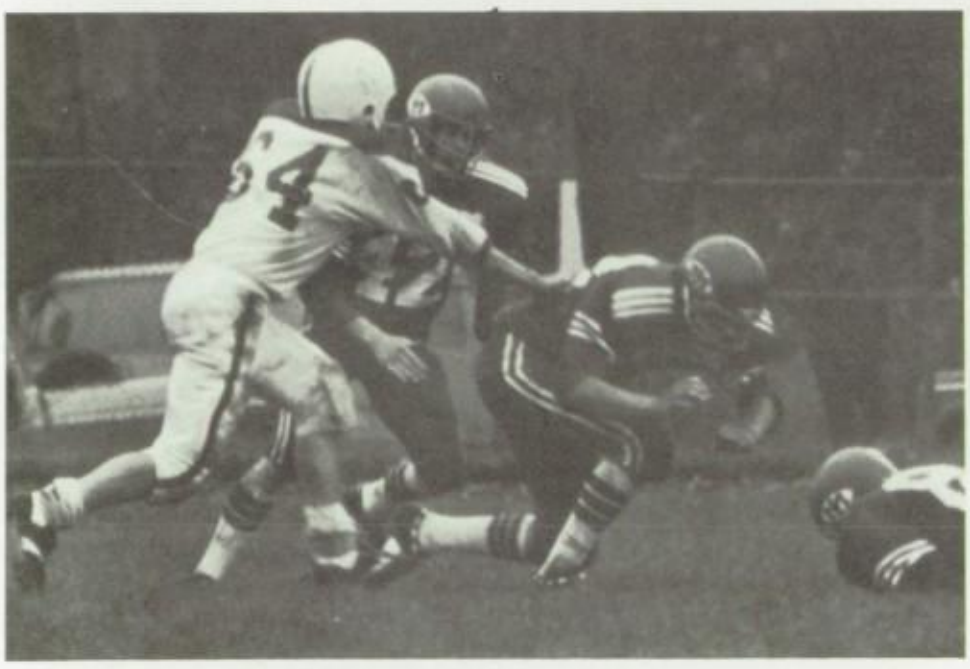
Next year Darrel Mattila and Jeff Paschke will head the team as co-captains.

Mr. Swanson, Thanks ...

The class of 1978 would like to thank you for all the hard work and dedication you have shown throughout the years as head football coach at MIHS. Through your work, you have shown us the true meaning of competition, which will stay with us always, Through you, we have achieved many worthwhile goals, and have established here at Mr. Iron High School a very respectable reputation as an excellent, fair football team. Even though you will not be on the field, a part of you will always be seen in the efforts of the team. Again, we thank you.

Do you want to tango or tackle?

Oh, Lord, Help us!



Don't push!

Karate, anyone?

CROSS COUNTRY
"THE OVER-THE-HILL GANG"

FRONT ROW (L-R) M. Skinner, B. Borgman, SECOND ROW (L-R) D. Pernu, T. Johnson, R. Ostman, K. McGowan, THIRD ROW (L-R) R. Stanaway (co-capt.) V. Suihkonen, D. Lanari (co-capt), B. Pernu (coach).

Hey, which way did they go?

Dave, isn't this a long way to the bathroom?

Pat! ! Stop looking at that girl and get going!

Hey, Coach! Get me a bag, I think I'm sick.

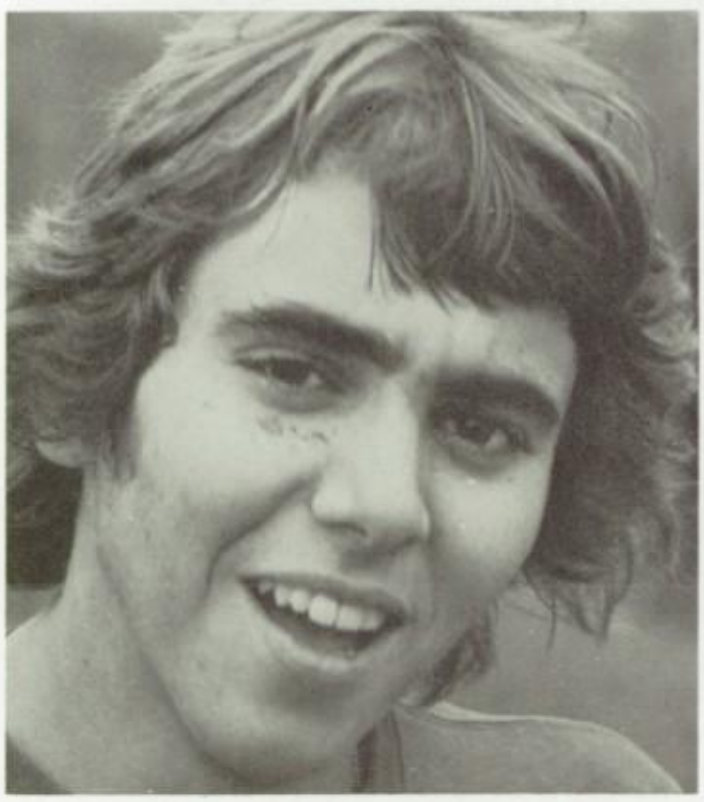
This year's cross-country season was led by Captains Dave Lanari and Roger Stanway. With the help of Juniors Marty Halverson and Pat Griner, and Sophomore runners Ron Ostman and Vern Suikhonen, the team proved once again to be competitive in District 27. At the District meet the Red Raiders suffered a discouraging fourth place finish, missing the regional meet by two points. Pat Griner pulled through with a fourth place finish in the Districts. The team was coached by Robert Pernu, who also hosted the team members at a number of fun nights at his home.

Marty Halverson and Pat Griner. (Missing links)

LEFT: I'm from Kinross, I'll beat you.

SCOREBOARD (SENIOR)

MEET	PLACE	SCORE
Eveleth	7th	170
Grand Rapids Invitational	5th	170
Eveleth	3rd	58
Virginia	6th	125
Babbitt	2nd	45
District 27	4th	70



LEFT: What do you mean I have a dirty face? I just washed it last week.

One giant step for mankind.

SCOREBOARD (JUNIOR)

MEET	PLACE	SCORE
Grand Rapids Invitational	15th	552
Eveleth	1st	42
Babbitt	2nd	43

VOLLEYBALL

WORTHWHILE VICTORIES ARE THOSE WHICH REQUIRE HARD WORK

FRONT ROW: (L-R), B. Elofson, J. Haugejorde, (capt.); K. Thurman, (capt.); A. Pender, M. Costello, (coach). SECOND ROW: M. Cerkvenik, J. Meckola, S. Haugejorde, K. Swanson, J. Phaneuf, L. Frericks, C. Langowski, (mgr.).

OPPONENTS	SCORES		
Ely	3-18	10-18	18-15
Eveleth	10-18	18- 7	18-10
Cherry	18-13	1-18	
Gilbert	18-11	18-15	18- 5
Aurora-Hoyt Lakes	18- 9	9-18	18- 4
Nashwauk-Keewatin	9-18	18-13	
Babbitt	7-18	15-18	4-18
Grand Rapids	5-18	18- 6	
Orr	18-12	18-14	
Virginia	18-10	18- 7	
Tower-Soudan	18-16	7-18	18-15
Biwabik	9-18	18-12	
Cook	18- 7	18- 2	

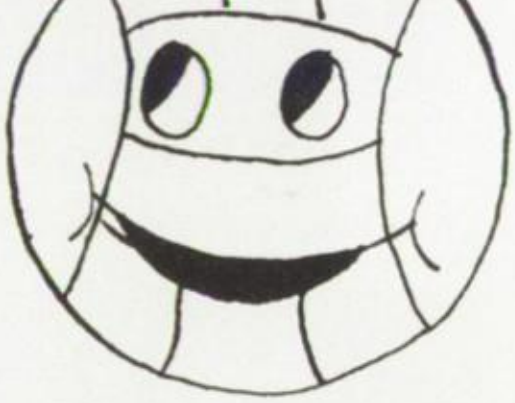
FRONT ROW: (L-R), M. Corcoran, N. Dahlgren, (capt.); W. Squillace, (capt.); D. Huderly, S. Medure, (coach). ROW 2: C. McDermid, M. Skaudis, C. Winans, Y. Sprague. ROW 3: C. Fabish, M. Buria, D. Erchul, L. Rowe.

All together now girls.

Keep your eye on the ball, Karen!

Up, up and away!

Hi Ha!



Team conference.

The Mt. Iron girls' volleyball season ended with a hard-fought match against the District Champion Babbitt Knights team. Under the coaching of Margaret Costello, and assistant coach, Susan Medure, the girls showed their abilities to bump, set and spike, in an exciting season of competition. They finished the season with a 10-5 record. Two members, Karen Swanson and June Meckola, are graduating seniors. Returning players will be Mary Cerkvenik, Lisa Frericks, Kelly Thurman, Jayne Haugejorde, Anna Pender, Bonnie Elofson, Jodie Phaneuf, and Sonja Haugejorde.

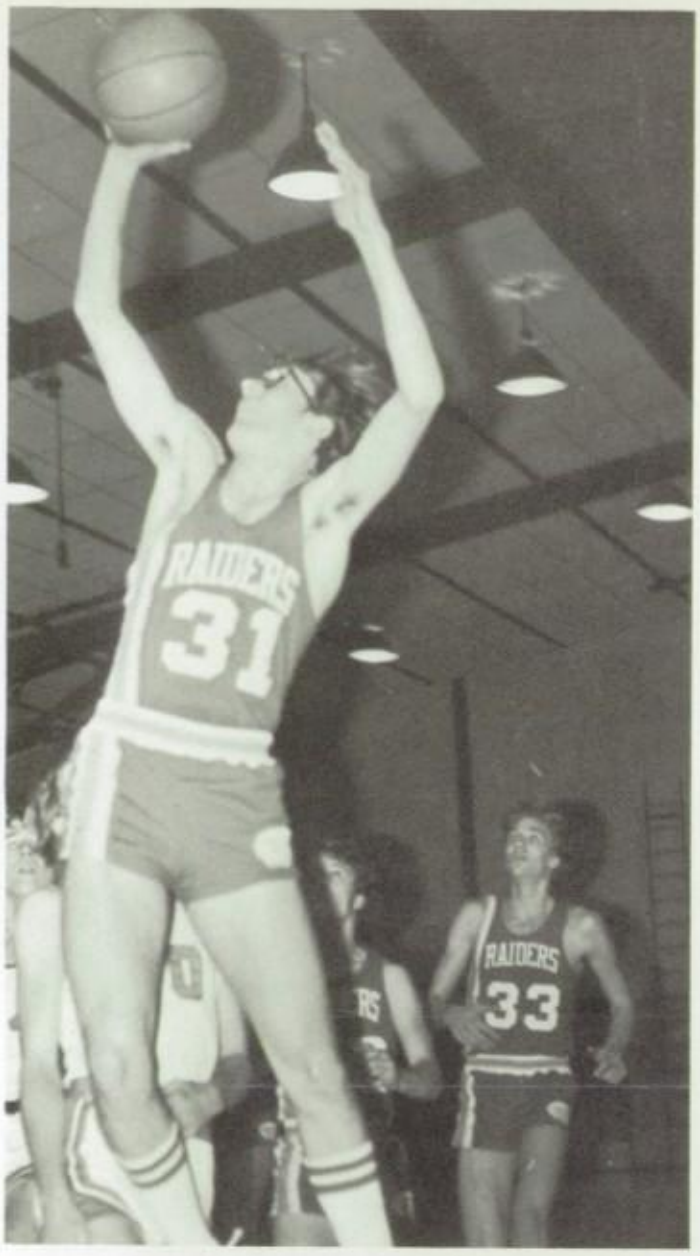
BOYS' BASKETBALL

SUCCESS IS A TEAM EFFORT

FRONT ROW (L-R). K. Olsen, T. Satrang, C. Giorgi, S. Cerkvenik, D. Pecarina, (capt.), S. Weappa, R. Giorgi, M. Giorgi, L. Nielsen, SECOND ROW (1-R) J. Johnson, J. Zupancich, M. Duzan, B. Bennett, D. Sojka, M. Halverson, R. Peterson, S. Henke.

Let go of my arm!

Just a minute, let me fix this string.



My Ballet lessons finally paid off!

If you hit her with the ball it's a strike!

Now is my chance to star!

A tiskit, a taskit, I didn't hit the basket!

I shot a basket in the air, and it fell, I knew not where!

The Red Raiders showed what team work and effort can do by finishing the season with an impressive 12-4 record. The Raiders advanced to the district finals, this being the first time in over 30 years that a Mt. Iron team has done so. Leading the Raiders were junior center Dan Sojka, one of the top players in Northern Minnesota, Dan Pecarina, playmaker of the team, and Jim Johnson, another steady starter. Other senior players who will be missed next year include Mike Giorgi, Joe Zupancich, and Steve Henke. Coaches Dick Lundquist and John Pagliacetti have high hopes for next year's team with the three returning starters, Dan Sojka, Marty Halverson, and Brett Bennett. Filling the remaining positions of the team will be Charlie Giorgi, Tom Satrang, and Scott Weappa.

SCOREBOARD

Mt. Iron	73	Bigfork	44	Mt. Iron	81	Ely	49
Mt. Iron	68	Eveleth	32	Mt. Iron	68	Cook	49
Mt. Iron	48	Orr	55	Mt. Iron	69	Duluth Cathedral	33
Mt. Iron	80	Buhl	50	Mt. Iron	60	Tower-Soudan	39
Mt. Iron	79	Babbitt	48	Mt. Iron	73	Virginia	51
Mt. Iron	48	Gilbert	52	Mt. Iron	78	Biwabik	50
Mt. Iron	88	Nashwauk-Keewatin	34	Mt. Iron	58	Cherry	40
Mt. Iron	79	Aurora	96	Mt. Iron	59	Coleraine	71

GIRLS' BASKETBALL

ALL NOBLE ACTIVITY MAKES ROOM FOR ITSELF

(L-R), R. Pernu, (coach); S. Sequin, L. Rowe, M. Cerkvenik, J. Forseen, S. Haugejorde, K. Swanson, (captain); J. Haugejorde, B. Elofson, N. Dahlgren, N. Dahl, G. Colangelo, J. Wiitala, C. Skogan, (manager).

FRONT ROW: (L-R), L. Prebeg, S. Lustila, C. Elofson, K. Koski, M. Marchildon, J. Porter. SECOND ROW: L. Erspamer, N. Kivi, D. Buria, T. Rossi, T. Sojka, J. Halverson, C.McDermid, J. Giru, M. Corcoran, T. Ersbo, (manager); S. Eskola, (coach).

The girls' basketball team, returning with a veteran squad, looked forward to a successful season and got it. They ended their regular season with a 16-2 record. Karen Swanson, the only senior and captain, led the team in scoring and rebounding. Returning players include Mary Cerkvenik, playmaker of the team; Bonnie Elofson, Julie Forseen; Jayne Haugejorde; Sanja Haugejorde; Shelly Sequin; Nancy Dahlgren; Nancy Dahl and Linda Rowe. With this team to look forward to, Coach Pernu can anticipate another fine season.

I got it! I got it!

These Babbitt babies sure can bump!

A woman's reach should exceed her grasp.

Another Bonnie basket.

SEASON RECORD

MI		
28	Gilbert	32
54	Babbitt	21
72	Tower	33
71	Cook	23
44	Eveleth	20
59	Biwabik	19
33	Ely	42
55	Gilbert	46
25	Babbitt	20
66	Tower	33
67	Cook	28
59	Buhl	58
53	Eveleth	20
53	Biwabik	39
61	Coleraine	57
70	Ely	41
45	Aurora	17
46	Virginia	37

I hope Coach is looking!

S-t-r-e-t-c-h!

HOCKEY

AMBITION IS THE SEED FROM WHICH NOBLE ACTION GROWS

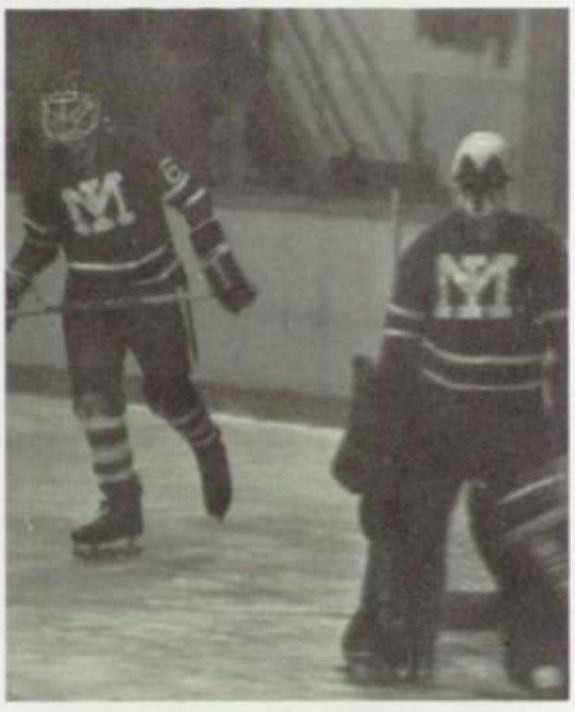
FRONT ROW, (L-R): K. Paul, K. White, J. Paschke, C. Oie, (Capt.), T. Maki, M. Downs, G. Anderson, J. Prebeg. BACK ROW: J. Tieberg, J. Bennet, B. Hansen, S. McDermid, T. Langowski, B. Johnson, C. Frericks, (Capt.), B. Dahlgren, S. Mattson, L. Brunfelt, S. Hunter, (ass't. coach), D. Fermoyle, (head coach).

SCOREBOARD

	OPP	MI
Ely	4	2
Chisholm	5	1
Indus	1	4
Proctor	6	4
Hermantown	11	2
Baudette	8	6
Gilbert	4	3
Chisholm	13	1
Indus	2	5
Moose Lake	3	7
Gilbert	3	5
Moose Lake	3	5
Ely	6	6
Babbit	6	2
Proctor	4	0
Moose Lake	1	4
Virginia	11	1

A locker room before the game

"Charge"



I'm ready if the puck ever comes over here.

Hey you, It's over there!

I can't help it if I'm pigeon-toed.

I'm down on my knees, begging you please.

I'm going to get it.

The hockey program continued this year with an improved team and outstanding play by a number of individuals. Co-captain, Casey Oie, proved to be one of the better goaltenders on the Iron Range, was supported by hard-hitting co-captain, Charlie Frericks,(co-leading scorer), Jeff Paschke, and Senior, Greg Anderson. The pucksters received much of their their scoring punch from an underclassman line of Steve Mattson,(co-leading scorer), Kraig Paul,(leading goal getter), and Jon Prebeg. Coach Fermoyle's most pleasant surprise came from the improved play of Seniors Jim Tieberg, Ken White, Tim Langowski, and Scott McDermid. This year's record was the best since Mt. Iron took to hockey six years ago. B-team standouts Mike Downs, Bill Dahlgren, Joe Bennett, Brad Hanson, Larry Brunfelt, and Tom Maki will attempt to fill the large skates of this year's graduates.

GYMNASTICS

PERFECTION IS FOR FEW

FRONT ROW: (L-R), C. Kraskey, M. Maki (capt.), R. Weappa, W. Squillace, C. Fabish, J. Gilbert, J. Vukovich, K. Finnerty (capt.). SECOND ROW: D. Maki, J. Jalonen, J. Olsen, M. Buria, S. Carron, A. Parenteau, D. Scott, D. Huderly, D. Roderigo. THIRD ROW: K. Kilen, K. Kingston, L. Bennett, K. Norby, C. Corcoran, C. Thompson. FOURTH ROW: M. Zielinski (coach), L. Maki, T. Teska, L. Lustila, R. Teska, C. Forseen, J. Kotyk, C.Sollinger, S.Braun, B. Stanaway (mgr.), C. Josephson (coach).

OPPOSING TEAM(S)	PLACE
Cloquet	1
Hibbing	1
Virginia; Aurora	1
Babbitt	1
Babbitt	1
Grand Rapids	2
Virginia; Hibbing	1
Two Harbors	1
Aurora	1
Sub-section	4

What's up Doc?

Look out Nadia here I come.

IT'S AN NWOD EDISPU WORLD

Posing for ''Glamour''?

How many inches wide did she say this was?

Who needs wings to fly?

Bend and stretch reach for the stars.

The Mt. Iron gymnastics team, coached by Mrs. Zielinski and Mrs. Josephson, had a very successful season with only one loss and eight victories. Five girls advanced from sub-regionals to regions. They were: Chris Fabish, Kim Finnerty, Pi Gilbert, Mickey Maki and Wendy Squillace. Six girls were also selected for the all-star team. They were: Chris Fabish, Kim Finnerty, Pi Gilbert, Mickey Maki, Wendy Squillace and Sheryl Haugen. Altogether the season was highly successful with the dedicated work of all the girls.

BASEBALL

DISTRICT 27 CHAMPS

FRONT ROW: (L-R) Dan Pecarina, Steve Cerkvenik, Kevin Squillace, Darrell Mattila, Mike Duzan, Jim Johnson, Mike Giorgi, Steve Ulicsni (capt.), Charles Frericks, Tim Langowski, Mike Dahlgren, Jim Tieberg, Paul Cerkvenik.

Scoreboard

Team		MI
Buhl	3	18
Int. Falls	3	9
	5	7
Ely	3	7
Nash. Keewatin	3	11
	15	1
Babbitt	3	4
Aurora	6	5
Duluth Central	12	3
	4	7
Eveleth	3	11
Higgibbing	12	0
Gilbert	4	15
Tower	1	6
Virginia	3	10
Cherry	5	10
Ely	4	3

TOTAL wins-12 losses-5

Statistical Leaders

Batting Champ.-Jeff Paschke
Most RBI'S-Jim Tieberg
Most Stolen Bases-Jim Johnson
Most Bases on Balls-Mike Giorgi
Most Hits-Tim Langowski
Most Runs Scored-Greg Anderson
Most Extra-Base Hits-Steve Ulicsni
Best Pitching Record-Greg Anderson
Most Valuable Player-Greg Anderson

I got it, I got it, I think.

Don't worry, coach, I'll catch him

The 1977 Baseball team had a very successful regular season under Head Coach Dick Lundquist and Captain Steve Uliscni. With an overall record of 12 wins and 5 losses they were District Champions, a first in Mt. Iron history. The boys ran into some rough going in the tournament losing to Ely. Because of the outstanding season the boys were given special awards and plaques. Greg Anderson was voted most valuable player for the season. Baseball captains for the 1978 season will be Charlie Frericks and Tim Langowski. Congratulations to the 1977 Baseball team.

Home Run King.

Strike four?

BOYS' TRACK

CONCENTRATED EFFORT SHALL NEVER RESULT IN FATIGUE

"Who gave me the short pole?"

"Who tied my shoe laces together?"

A very impressive season was shared by all the members of the 1977 Boys' Track Team. Under the direction of Coach Bob Pernu the team fought hard against many large school teams with great success. With strong leadership from the Senior members, the team captured second place at the District Meet, earning them the right to compete at Regions. At Regions the 880 relay team of Tom Niska, Paul Buria, Mark Terrio, and Dan Cress captured 6th place. This was very good considering the still competition held at the Regions. All the boys enjoyed the competition and experience of the season.

"I think you shoot craps this way."

Streakers! !

SCOREBOARD

1ST Meet
Mt. Iron- 2nd-49½

2nd meet
Mt. Iron-3rd-44

3rd Meet
Mt. Iron-3rd-42

4th Meet
Mt. Iron-2nd-51

Initational
Mt. Iron-20th-1

Invitational
Mt. Iron-2nd-56½

Combined A-AA
Mt. Iron-6th-82

8th Meet
Mt. Iron-4th-45

Ivitational
Mt. Iron-2nd290

Distract Meet
Mt. Iron-4th-66

Regional
Mt. Iron-24th-1

One, two, three, jump ...

Making circles makes me dizzy.

He flies through the air with the greatest of ease ...

GIRLS' TRACK

SUCCESS SHOWS ITSELF TO THOSE WITH ZEAL

FRONT ROW: (L-R), K. Finnerty, J. Halverson, A. Bennett, D. Buria, M. Corcoran, S. Pernu, J. Giru, W. Squillace. SECOND ROW: L. O'Brien, (coach), C. Krueger, M. Cerkvenik, S. Johnson, N. Dahlgren, K. Swanson, J. Larson, C. McDermid, C. Fabish, R. Teska.

SEASON HIGHLIGHTS

The 1977 track season found the Red Raider girls, under the direction of Mrs. O'Brien and Mrs. Zielinski, finishing fifth in the District 27 meet. Although teamwise Mt. Iron finished rather low, the Raiders were strongly represented in the Region 7 meet. Participants included Karen Swanson in the 110 and 180 yard hurdles and the high jump, Kim Finnerty in the 100 yard dash, Mary Cerkvenik in the long jump and June Meckola, Chris McDermid, Chris Fabish, and Shelby Pernu in the 880 yard relay. Karen Swanson finished third in the high jump and sixth in the 110 yard hurdles in the Regional meet.

The 1978 season should prove successful with a strong returning nucleus ready to compete for another year. Karen Swanson, June Meckola, Kim Finnerty, June Larson, Chris Fabish, Chris McDermid, Wendy Squillace, Mary Cerkvenik, Shelby Pernu and Nancy Dahlgren are all proven veterans of varsity competition ready to show their abilities at running, jumping and throwing.

TRACK RECORD

DATE	MI PLACE	NO. OF SCHOOLS COMPETING
Apr. 21	1	2
Apr. 26	3	5
Apr. 28	1	3
Apr. 30	4	13
May 3	3	3
May 7	5	5
May 10	3	3
May 21	6	9
District	5	9
Region	22	*

If looks could kill . . .

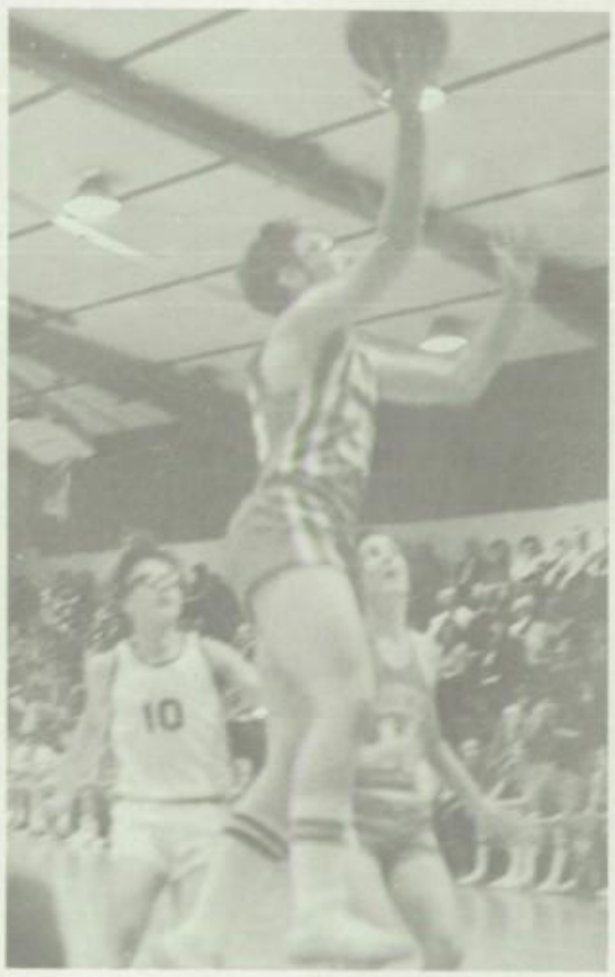
I can't believe I ate the whole thing! !

No grace, but all charm.

Let's play leap frog.

1-2-3, let's kill the referee.

Gonna fly now!



Look at that human fly!

Up, up and away!

The fence connection.

A bucketful.

Freedom is . . .

THE THRILL OF VICTORY

CLUBS AND ORGANIZATIONS

BAND

MUSIC IS THE PROPHECY OF WHAT LIFE IS TO BE

FRONT ROW: (L-R), K. Solinger, L. Kiwus, S. Braun, D. Cerkvenik, J. Johnson, S. Seguin, T. Hanson, K. Kilen, K. Koski. SECOND ROW: J. Olsen, D. Maki, J. Halverson, R. Skala, S. Haugejorde, L. Newberg, L. Novak, A. Majetich, J. Savela. THIRD ROW: T. Kosevich, J. Jenko, J. Larson, S. Johnson, L. Johnson, S. Niemi, L. Erspamer, J. Jalonen, C. Jacobson. FOURTH ROW: S. Westom, B. Stanaway, D. Erchul, T. Peterson, W. Squillace, S. Cerkvenik, A. Frank, K. Halverson. FIFTH ROW: D. Pernu, T. Johnson, J. Takala, J. Jacobson, V. Suihkonen, J. Giorgi, M. Buffetta, J. Nichols. SIXTH ROW: C. Giorgi, J. Haugejorde, A. Achman, N. Marchildon, S. Lustila, T. Gabrielson, B. Aho, J. Achman. SEVENTH ROW: K. Swanson, N. Dahl, J. Riccio, M. Cerkvenik, S. Pernu, M. Cook, B. Johnson, B. Buria, EIGHTH ROW: K. Olsen, P. Griner, J. Trotto (director), C. Olsen.

The sound of music.

The band, under the direction of Mr. Trotto, had another busy year. The members were active providing entertainment at girls basketball, boys basketball, football, and hockey games. The band also added to the fun of the Penny Carnival by sponsoring the annual cakewalk. A Christmas concert on December 4 was given featuring the song "O Holy Night" and a piano solo by Susie Johnson.

Teaching the tooters to toot.

Where did you say we were?

I don't care if he falls, he's only my brother.

I like there backs better.

Dizzy fingers.

No tall tales this time, Trotto!

I think I'm getting faint.

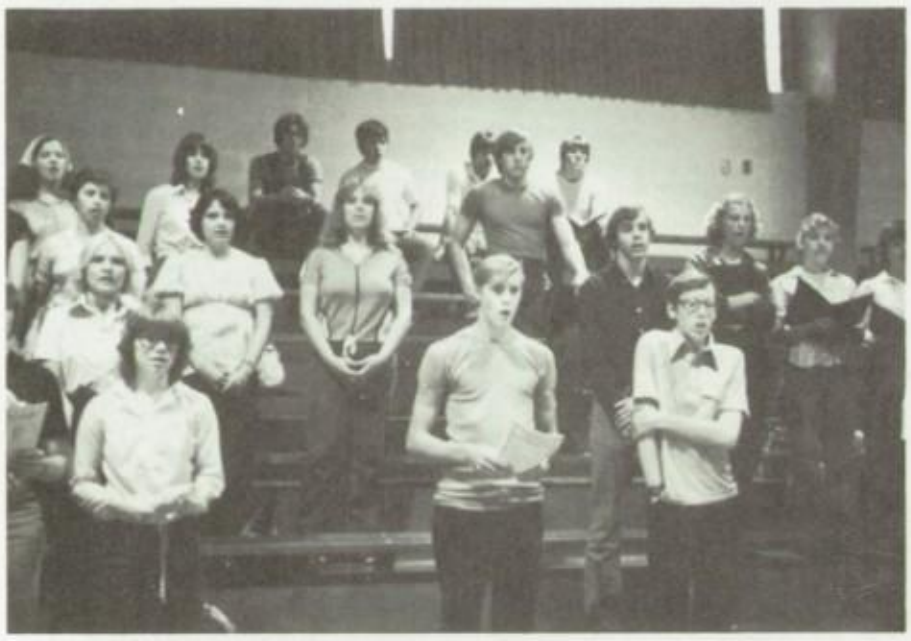
CHOIR

MUSIC WASHES FROM THE SOUL THE DUST OF LIFE

FRONT ROW: (L-R), C. Oie, K. Olsen, M. Ruud, J. Jacobsen, J. Tieberg, S. Torma, R. Kuntz. SECOND ROW: C. Skogman, S. Wolfe, J. Riccio, M. Buffetta, S. Johnson, A. Mahonen, W. Palokangas, B. Uliscni. THIRD ROW: S. Carron, N. Dahlgren, C. McDermid, L. Novak, B. Westom, J. Haugejorde, B. Noyes, T. Peterson, C. Shosten. FOURTH ROW: T. Hansen, J. Buria, K. Johnson, N. Marchildon, R. Skala, J. Johnson, A. Pender, A. Majetich, A. Lubovich. FIFTH ROW: R. Moore, M. Halverson, D. Sojka, B. Peterson, J. Achman, T. Satrang.

Come on you guys, start singing.

Our fearless leader!



If the boys get too close they sing flat.

Under the direction of Mr. Hervi the high school choir performed one concert during the Christmas Season. Susie Johnson and Tammy Peterson accompanied the choir on the piano. A spring feastival was held in Biwabik with six schools attending. This was the first time something like this has ever taken place. Another feastival is being planned for next year.

"You're on which page?"

"Now, if they'll just wait for me to catch up!"

"Aren't we beautiful at 7:30 a.m.?"

"Who stole our Gusto??"

CHEERLEADERS

THE SPIRIT OF THE CROWD MOVES THE TEAM

FRONT ROW (L-R): S. Pavlovich, B. Uliscni, K. Finnerty, N. Marchildon, BACK ROW: M. Maki, M. Langowski, J. Gilbert.

Martha

Go, Big Red!

With Mrs. Takela as the new advisor, the girls continued to boost the crowd's spirit and team morale. Beside cheering, the girls sold Red Raider megaphones to the students. On the football squad were Kim Finnerty, Pi Gilbert, Mickey Maki, Nina Marchildon, Sue Pavlovich, Barb Uliscni, and Jodie Phaneuf, alt. ''A'' team basketball cheerleaders were Mary Kaye Buffetta, Nina Marchildon, Lynn Novak, Wanda Palokangas, Sue Pavlovich, Mary Skaudis, and Sue Wolfe, alt. The hockey squad consisted of Kim Finnerty, Pi Gilbert, Lois Kauppila, Mickey Maki, Jodie Phaneuf, Barb Uliscni, and Wendy Squillace, alt. The ''B'' team cheerleaders, Terry Hanson, Carole Jenko, Pam Lind, Laura Marchildon, Mary Prebeg, Shelly Westom, and Shelly Bennett, alt., cheered for the girls' basketball team along with the boys' ''B'' team. Cheering at basketball and football games was the new mascot Martha Langowski.

Tell Sam this is our better side!

Praying for success!

FRONT ROW: L-R S. Pavlovich, W. Palokangas. BACK ROW: L. Novak, N. Marchildon, M. Buffetta.

FRONT ROW: L-R S. Westom, L. Marchildon, P. Lind, C. Jenko. BACK ROW: T. Hanson, M. Preheg.

You mean we're auditioning for the Ice Follies?

FROM L-R: M. Maki, B. Uliscni, L. Kauppila, J. Phaneuf, J. Gilbert, and K. Finnerty.

Action!

F.H.A.

THE FOUNDATION FOR TOMORROW'S HOMES

SEATED: (L-R), S. Wolfe, Treasurer; J. Riccio, Secretary; A. Mahonen, President; C. Shosten, V. President; K. Johnson, S.C. Representative. SECOND ROW: Mrs. Parenteau, Advisor; C. Skogman, L. Johnson, S. Pavlovich, M. Giroux, J. Johnson, S. Carron, S. Haugen. THIRD ROW: M. Skaudis, C. Winans, B. Westom, W. Palokangas, J. Giru, A. Pender, M. Norha, Y. Sprague.

Look at all the big wheels.

I am not flat!

The 1977-1978 Future Homemakers of America Chapter had its ups and downs this year, with only four sophomore girls initiated. The chapter had about sixteen active members. Caramel apple sales were a great success, with 250 apples sold on the first day. Sales brought in approximately $100. With the girls in the Christmas spirit, they ventured to the Buhl Nursing Home with the Future Nurses to sing Christmas carols. The event was topped with a ''pot luck'' dinner. Other activities included attending the District Meeting in Cook, bowling, the Mother-Daughter Tea, and a Bike-a-thon for Cystic Fibrosis.

FNA

GIVE OF YOURSELF - THE SATISFACTION IS GREAT

SEATED: (L-R), J. Riccio, L. Novak, Treasurer; J. Marchildon, Secretary; M. Norha, President; K. Johnson, V. President; C. Shosten, S.C. Representative; S. Westom. SECOND ROW: Mrs. Rodorigo, J. Jenner, J. Buria, E. Noyes, A. Mahonen, M. Buffetta, C. McDermid, A. Majetich, T. Peterson, L. Marchildon, S. Carron, T. Hanson, S. Haugen. THIRD ROW: N. Dahl, S. Wolfe, S. Pavlovich, L. Johnson, B. Westom, R. Skala, D. Erchul, A. Pender, J. Johnson, B. Stanaway.

''I just can't ''bear'' all this attention.''

F.N.A. (Funny Nurses Activities)

With a new year ahead, approximately eleven girls were initiated in the fall under the supervision of Mrs. Rodorigo, the girls volunteered their services to the Virginia Hospital during their spare time. Some of their duties include passing water and juices, running erands, passing food trays, and most of all bringing a little sunshine into the hospital. The FNA'ers have been fortunate to have such speakers as Joan Fleck and Herb Fremmer who spoke on subjects such as yoga, sign language, and hypnotism.

LETTERMENS' CLUB

THE COMPETITION OF YOUTH PUTS COMPETENCE IN THE MAN

FRONT (L-R): Jim Tieberg, Steve Henke, Larry Herzog, Dave Lanari, Mike Giorgi, Second Row: Art Ostman, Steve Mattson, Frank Scinto, Greg Anderson, Jeff Paschke, Ken White, Jon Prebeg, Ray Bushey, Dan Pecarina, Casey Oie, Ron Ostman, Marshall Cook. Third Row: Jim Johnson, Marty Halverson, Scott McDermid, Bob Peterson, Benny Johnson, Vern Suihkonen, Dan Sojka, Tom Satrang, Joe Zupancich, Mike Dahlgren, Tim Langowski, Paul Buria, Charles Frericks, Tom Kosevich.

Didn't you find the popcorn yet?

This year the Lettermens Club, under the leadership of Mr. Lundquist, was kept active by selling popcorn at the basketball and football games. Adding to the success of the year was the new popcorn machine purchased earlier in the year. A camera was a also purchased for the purpose of taking pictures of the various teams.

Officers: (L-R), V.P.-Jim Tieberg, Pres.-Larry Herzog, S.C. Rep.-Dave Lanari, Treas.-Mike Giorgi, Sec.-Steve Henke.

LETTERWOMEN

THOSE DESERVING OF ADMIRATIONS POSSESS TALENTS OF ALL KINDS

FRONT ROW: (L-R), Pres.-K. Swanson, Sec.-Treas.-J. Meckola, V.P.-M. Cerkvenik, S.C. Rep.-J. Marchildon. SECOND ROW: J. Vukovich, S. Haugen, B. Elofson, C. McDermid, W. Squillace, M. Maki, J. Gilbert, C. Fabish, K. Finnerty. THIRD ROW: G. Colangelo, S. Haugejorde, K. Thurman, J. Phaneuf, J. Haugejorde, R. Weappa, A. Pender, L. Frericks.

Oh, no, $20.00 short again.

The girl athlete is becoming increasingly more important every year. With volleyball, basketball, gymnastics, and track being among the girls' programs offered at our school, Mt. Iron girls are given the opportunity to compete on an interscholastic level.

Under the dirction of Miss Costello and Mrs. Medure, the Letterwomen's main project during the year was the selling of Red Raider jerseys to add to the spirit of the school. At the end of each year, the outstanding senior girl athlete is awarded a special scholarship, made possible through the Letterwomen's Club, in recognition of her athletic abilities.

AFS

LEARNING ABOUT OTHERS ENABLES US TO UNDERSTAND OURSELVES

FRONT ROW: (L-R), S. Cerkvenik, P. Houtopoulos, L. Nielsen, T. Satrang. Second row, (L-R), J. Buria, C. Jenko, B. Elofson, M. Cerkvenik, A. Majetich, S. Mattson, L. Novak, K. Swanson, J. Jenko, N. Dahl, C. McDermid, D. Erchul.

We always did want a ''Great Dane''!

That's 750 calories, would you like to try for 1000?

During this year the AFS student and adult chapters were very active. Along with selling candy during the basketball games and community calendars during the spring, the club also held an AFS Weekend on November 18, 19, and 20. Students from all parts of the world attended this get-together and it was a great success for all.

This year's AFS student was Laurits Nielsen from Denmark. Laus, as he likes to be called, lived with the Vern Paschke family in South Grove. Laus was a very welcome addition to the Mt. Iron School and community. His quick wit and exceptional humor helped to brighten the year with us. Laus was presented a Letterman's jacket by the Lettermen, and a class ring by the AFS Chapter. He also visited Chicago, Illinois and Stillwater, Minnesota during his stay. We will never forget him and the fun he brought with him during his stay with us. Good-by Laurits, and thanks for a great year!

THE GREAT DANE

I know I put it up here someplace.

I came all the way to Mt. Iron for this?

No, I'm not a Danish pastry-just Danish.

, was this a great year. It was one of those years in my life I would like to do over if I could. But everything has an end and this year too. I will always remember the year as one of the best in my life, and that was because of you, students at Mt. Iron High School; you were all so friendly to me. It didn't take very long for me to feel as a student among you. I think the U.S. is a good place to be a year, I got to know so much, and so many new things and so many people. Thank you Mt. Iron and class of "78", I will never forget you for this great year.

AFS is love.

(Shortie), LN

I told her to stand tall.

MASK AND GAVEL

WE CAN IMITATE OTHERS ONLY WHEN WE UNDERSTAND OURSELVES

FRONT ROW: (L-R), V. Pres.-C. Olsen, Pres.-S. McGregor, Treas.-J. Marchildon, S.C. Rep.- B. Noyes, Sec.-S. Johnson. SECOND ROW: M. Maki, S. Cerkvenik, J. Nichols, R. Moore, M. Norha, A. Majetich, J. Giru, L. Novak, B. Elofson, J. Larson, B. Uliscni, J. Gilbert, Advisor-A. Moeller. THIRD ROW: J. Wiitala, L. Marchildon, J. Riccio, S. Pavlovich, S. Wolfe, C. McDermid, A. Palokangas, B. Westom, A. Lubovich, N. Dahl, R. Skala, C. Skogman, L. Kauppila. FOURTH ROW: M. Cook, J. Vukovich, C. Shosten, J. Phaneuf, B. Stanaway, S. Haugen, J. Buria, J. Haugejorde, T. Hansen, M. Halverson, S. Carron. FIFTH ROW: K. Finnerty, T. Tieberg, J. Johnson, D. Erchul, A. Achman, M. Duzan, S. Carlson, C. Giorgi.

Crafts with Katy?

Does he, or doesn't he? Only his hairdresser knows for sure.

DECLAMATION

THE AUDIENCE IS THE REWARD OF THE SPEAKER

FRONT ROW: (L-R), A. Moeller-Advisor, C. Jacobsen, J. Vukovich, A. Palokangas. SECOND ROW: T. Ersbo, K. Johnson, S. Haugen, A. Lubovich, C. Shosten. THIRD ROW: L. Newberg, T. Peterson, S. Johnson, S. Carron, J. Johnson. BACK ROW: J. Nichols, S. Carlson.

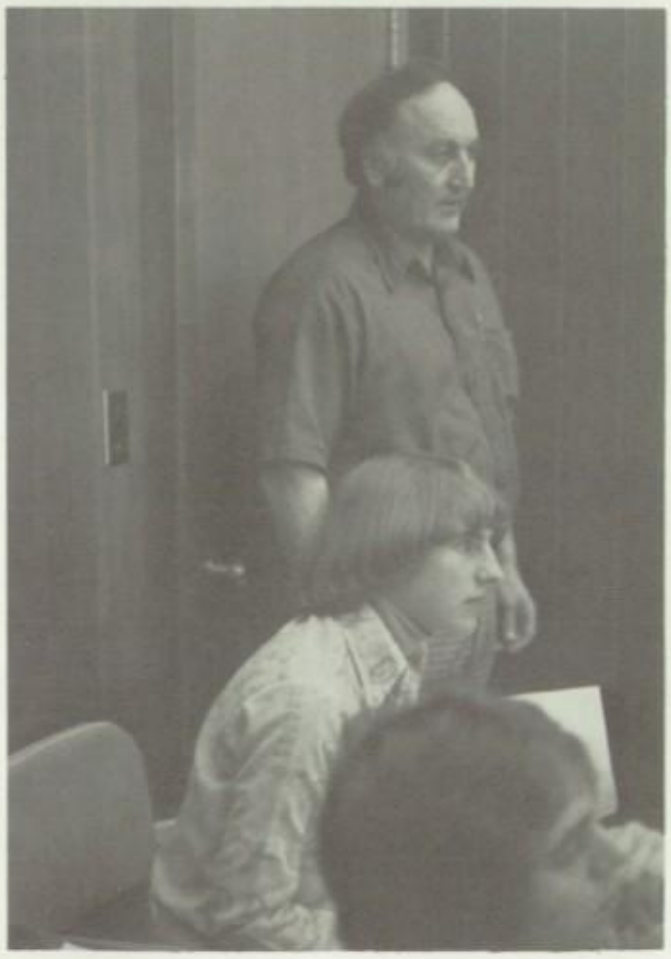
Sometimes we sits and speaks, and sometimes we just sits.

The MIHS declamation team had a good year. Although the team was fairly small, they did a good job. This year they attended invitationals at International Falls, Duluth Denfeld, and Aurora-Hoyt Lakes. The district tourney was at Ely. These people competed at district: Shawn McGregor, Karen Johnson, Steve Newberg, Jill Johnson, Sandy Carron, Sheryl Haugen, Ann Marie Lubovich, Lynn Newberg, Frances Martin, Char Jacobsen, and Teri Ersbo. In the regional contest at Chisholm Ann Marie Lubovich, Frances Martin, Shawn McGregor and Karen Johnson competed. Frances was named second alternate to the state in serious drama.

STUDENT COUNCIL

LEADERSHIP — THE PRODUCT OF CONCERN; AMBITION, AND ABILITY

SEATED: M. Giorgi, Treasurer; M. Cerkvenik, Vice President; C. Oie, President; L. Kauppila, Secretary. SECOND ROW: L. Novak, J. Marchildon, S. Mattson, L. Brunfelt, B. Saari, K. Johnson, M. Jenko, B. Uliscni, K. Kilen, C. Shosten. THIRD ROW: J. Tieberg, D. Lanari, C. Olsen, E. Noyes, S. Cerkvenik.



"You spent HOW MUCH?"

Under the direction of Mr. Zupetz, this year's student Council was very active. Along with sponsoring the Turnabout, spectator buses to football, hockey, and basketball games, they also began sending members of the Student Council to School Board meetings to observe what was being accomplished. They were involved with the Penny Carnival and sponsored the broomball tournament during the Winter Carnival. During the year, the Council brought forth ideas such as a pay phone in the school, vending machines, a universal gym, band and choir practice during class hours, and personal leave days for students, but these ideas were refused by the School Board. The Council also donated money to the Hubert Humphrey Institute in Minneapolis. This year the Student Council began with approximately $1200 and expended over $600 on various activities.

MAJORETTES

ENTHUSIASM MOVES THE WORLD

''A'' MAJORETTES: (L-R), S. Haugen, D. Erchul, S. Carron, J. Vukovich.

''I've got gusto!''

This year the majorettes were very busy as they had not only to do their routines for football and boy's basketball, but also for girl's basketball. The girls were continually presenting new routines for the audience, which enjoyed watching them.

''The traffic goes this way.''

Pom Poms away my boys!

''B'' MAJORETTES: FRONT ROW, (L-R), S. Haugen, J. Anderson, R. Teska. SECOND ROW: S. Giorgi, S. Pernu, J. Johnson.

RAIDER'S DIGEST

WORDS DELIVER NEWS AND CREATE MEMORIES

FRONT ROW: (L-R), M. Johnson, T. Teska, K. Kingston, K. Kilen, J. Savela, A. Chilstrom, C. Skogman. SECOND ROW: Mr. Sauve, Advisor; M. Norha, A. Mahonen, L. Newberg, S. Pavlovich, S. Wolfe, J. Riccio, D. Riccio, L. Erspamer, F. Kristian. THIRD ROW: Y. Sprague, J. Gilbert, J. Larson, S. Johnson, K. Swanson, M. Coleman, D. Cerkvenik, R. Moore.

"Are you sure I'll get a crown in heaven for this?"

"Let's see-the 'A' is here, and the 'G' is there, and ....."

This year the Raider's Digest was co-edited by Anne Mahonen and Margaret Norha under the advisorship of Mr. Sauve. The Raider's Digest sent out five issues during the year, centered around the holidays. Also the Senior Will was published by the staff, with most of the organization being done by Anne Mahonen. The Digest tried something new this year by printing pictures in some of the issues of the newspaper. Although the printing of the pictures is still in the experimental stage, the pictures were recognizable. With little support from the student body the small, diligent staff made the year quite a success.

ANNUAL STAFF

THE BOOK OF OUR YEAR - THE YEAR OF OUR LIFE - THE LIFE OF OUR DREAMS

FRONT ROW: (L-R), J. Riccio, Editor-in-Chief; J. Tieberg, Associate Editor Photography; D. Lanari, Photography. SECOND ROW: S. Wolfe, Advertising; S. Pavlovich, Business and Advertising Manager; J. Larson, Layout Editor; K. Swanson; D. Olson, Photography. THIRD ROW: M. Norha; S. Johnson; M. Coleman, Art; D. Cerkvenik, Layout Editor; S. Torma, Head Photographer. FOURTH ROW: A. Mahonen, Senior Editor; W. Sauve, Advisor; T. Kosevich; M. Buffetta, Copy Editor; J. Meckola.

The Mountaineer Staff of 1978 found itself faced with a monumental task this year. With little cooperation from the Senior class it was next to impossible to meet deadlines. Under the advisorship of Mr. Sauve and the work of a few dedicated individuals, the staff managed to construct a very good production. The annual features many new ideas and some old ones that have not been used in recent years. The staff would sincerely like to thank all the seniors and underclassmen who helped to make this yearbook a reality.

"Are we finished?" "Yes."

Excedrin headache no. 1978.

I can squeeze music out of anyone.

Music knows no age-from 9 to 90.

Declamation is such fun!

I'm as all-American as apple pie.

I'm not the godfather - I'm just the president.

I'm an Executive Photographer.

Next year we'll be no. 1.

ACTIVITIES

FALL HOMECOMING

HAPPINESS IS MADE UP OF FRACTIONS OF TIME

FALL HOMECOMING ROYALTY: (L-R); Front Row; Flower Girl, Stephanie Williams; Crown Bearer, Mark Phanef. Back Row; Mike Kishel, Lori Yost, Larry Herzog, Lori Sartori, Roger Stanaway, Pam Nordby, Greg Anderson, Queen June Meckola, Sam Torma, Patty Crea, Laurits Nielsen, Mary Kaye Buffetta, Paul Buria, Sophomore Princess Jodie Phaneuf, Mike Duzan, Junior Princess Janine Giru, Tom Satrang.

(1-R): Escort Tom, Princess Janine, Queen June, Escort Sam, Princess Jodie, and Escort Mike.

Don't you think I'd make a nice queen?

Will the real Aunt Jemimah please sit down!

KISS in MIHS!

Hi, I'm ''Big Bertha'' from Babbitt.

''My Fair Share''

Have a Pepsi Day!!!

The Fall Homecoming provided a fun-filled week for the students with a variety of activities that had something for everyone. Students took part in dress-up days, such as: ''Tee-Shirt Day'', ''Dress Your Best Day'', and ''School Color Day''. The top event of the week was the homecoming pep assembly on Friday. A special skit entitled the ''Gong Show'', included such celebrities as ''Kiss''. In addition, the very talented Beth and Nina sang ''My Fair Share''. To conclude the pep fest, June Meckola was crowned queen. In the afternoon the Red Raiders defeated the Babbitt Knights, 18-0. In the evening a dance was held in the girls' gym with music provided by Matrix.

WINTER HOMECOMING

EXCITEMENT FILLS US WITH THE SPIRIT OF LIFE

Winter Homecoming Royalty: (L-R), Margaret Norha, Charlie Frericks, Susie Johnson, Roger Stanaway, Queen June Meckola, Chief Red Raider Casey Oie, Anne Mahonen, Jim Tieberg, Mary Coleman, Albert Seguin, Joanne Jenko, Dave Lanari, Lori Yost.

''MIHS Polka King''

I've heard of talking in circles, but walking in circles?

Were these all the Bachelorettes you could scrape up?

I think I can make it!

Our team is on the ball . . . your team needs Geritol!

Lori and Dave

"The Dating Game", which was patterned after the popular T.V. program, was the theme for the Winter Homecoming skit. Special awards were given to students who took part in the dress-up days. Such days were Pajama Day, Hair's-you-dare Day, Cowboy Day, Fifties Day, and the traditional Red-White Day. Highlighting the week was the crowning of Chief Red Raider, Casey Oie. The week ended with a basketball game against Biwabik, and the Homecoming Dance with music by "Quick Breath."

CHIEF CASEY AND QUEEN JUNE

TURNABOUT

SHARING MOMENTS TOGETHER MAKES SPECIAL MEMORIES

Crazy Blame

The 1977 Winter Turnabout, sponsored by the Student Council, was held on Saturday, December 3. A committee, headed by Mary Cerkvenik, Barb Ulicsni and Lois Kaupilla, was in charge of lining up a band, ordering decorations and signing up couples.

The girls' gymnasium was decorated in various hues of green. Flocked evergreens added a touch of winter magic to the occasion. Music was provided by "Crazy Blame", a popular band from Duluth.

About 30 couples attended the dance. Afterwards, many of them went out to dine at places such as The Old Roman Villa, The Lantern, and The Franklin House.

Slow dancing, swaying to the music.

Love me tender, love me sweet. Help, you're standing on my feet!

It's not spiked.

LEFT: You're tops on my list.

SPRING PLAY

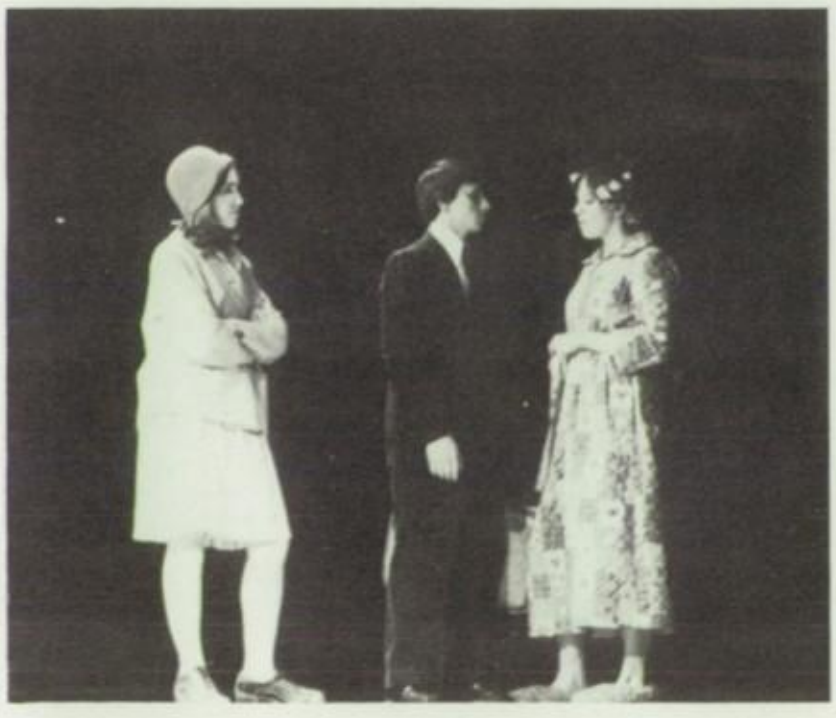
A SERIES OF ONE-ACT PLAYS

Last spring the Mask and Gavel Club presented a series of one-act plays. The first play was called ''How to Propose.'' Its large cast included: Craig Olsen as the lecturer; Rick Moore as George; Steve Carlson as the Caveman; Barb Uliscni was the Cavewoman; Marty Halverson as Sir Montmorency; Beth Noyes as Lady Ermintrude; Marshall Cook as Mr. Butts; Janine Marchildon as Miss Vera Butts; Steve Carlson as Mr. McBean; Marshall Cook as Butch; Annette Gagnon as Cookie; Patty Crea as Linda Van Courtland; John Fisher as Kent Van Porter III; and Mickey Maki as Elain Popkins. The second play was called ''Something I'll Tell You Tuesday'', had a cast including Brenda Cone as Agnes; John Fisher as Andrew; Tracy Trotto as Hildegarde; Jeff Nichols as George; and Margaret Norha as Mrs. Hasselback. The third play had a small cast of Marty Halverson as He, and Shawn McGregor as She. The play was entitled ''The Loveliest Afternoon of the year.'' The last play was called ''Where Have All The Lightening Bugs Gone?'' Its cast was Sherry Pernu as the Girl, and Jeff Nichols as the Boy.

''Come, come my dear boy, you say you did what?''

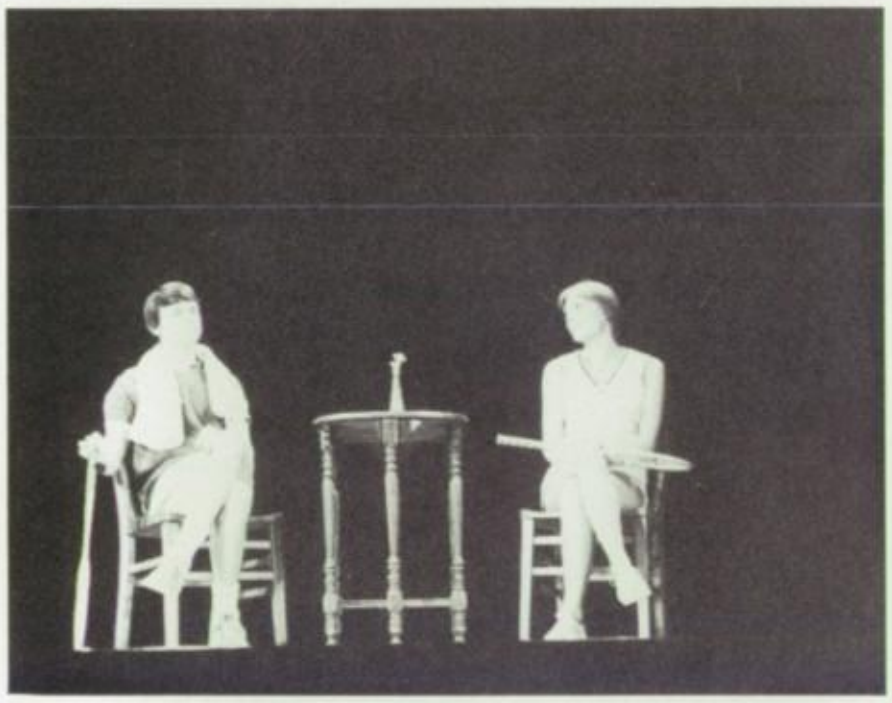
''Four score and how many years ago?''

''My dog's better than your dog.''

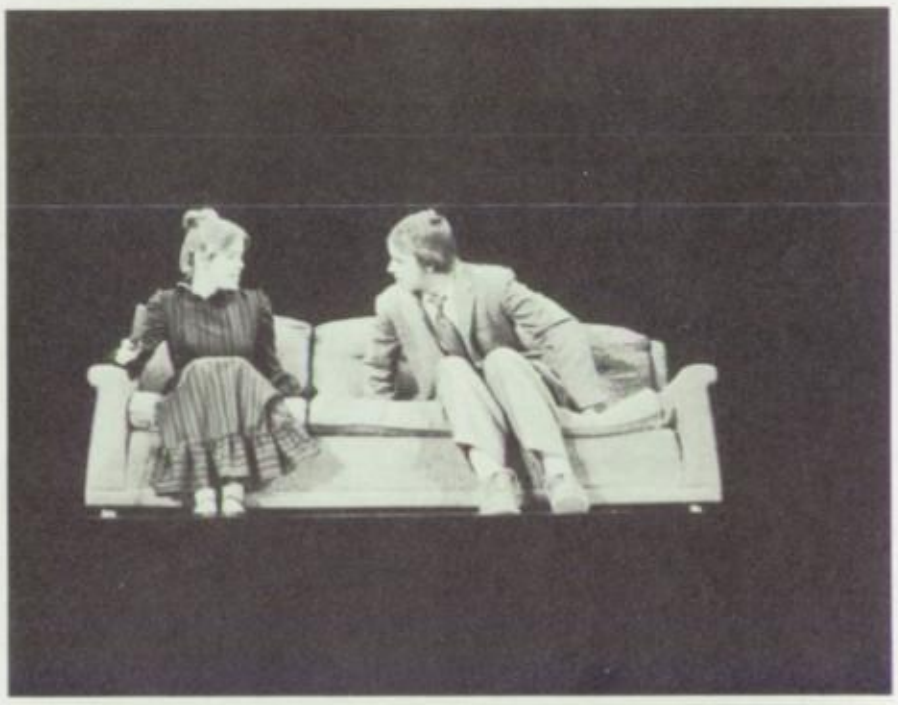


''I know it's none of my business but ....

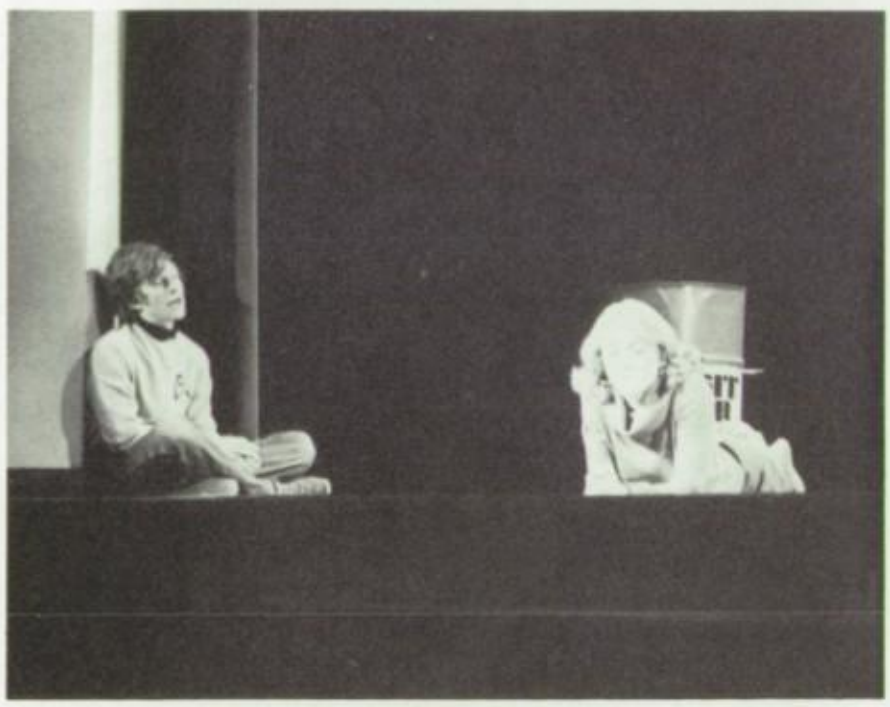
We've come . . . a long way . . . baby!



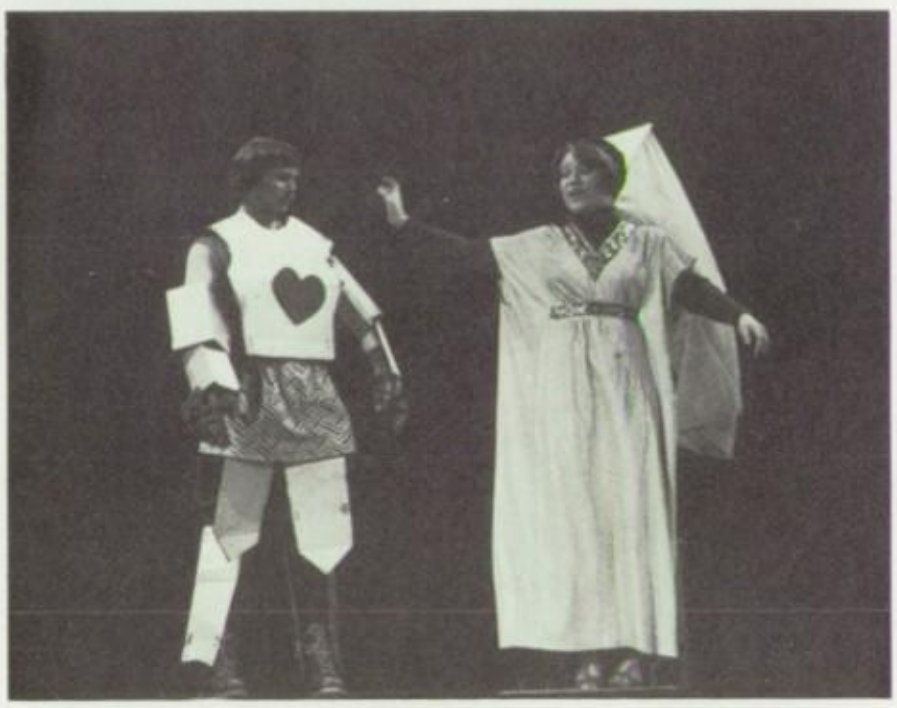
Another round of tennis, Patty?



Not now Steve, I have a headache.



Typical, illogical woman!!!

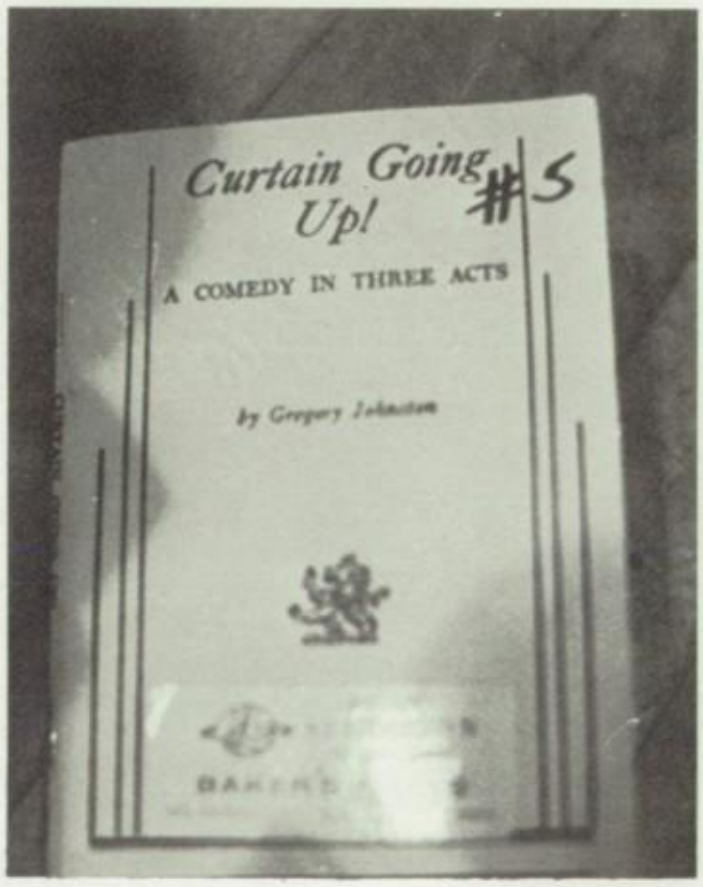


Fair damsel in distress.

FALL PLAY

"CURTAIN GOING UP"

On November 10 & 11, 1977, the Mask & Gavel Club presented "Curtain Going Up." This three-act comedy was directed by Mrs. Moeller, and student directed by Barb Uliscni. The successful play was about a young, new drama director and the problems she faced while rehearsing for the high school's fall play performance. The cast consisted of: Beth Noyes-Miss Irene Burgess; Pi Gilbert-Loretta Fuller; Kim Finnerty-Nancy Loveridge; Jayne Haugejorde-Miss Carol Moran; Ann Majetich-Miss Henrietta Rivers; Jill Vukovich-Elsie Hunter; Ann Marie Lubovich-Sylvia Moore; Lynn Novak-Janet Young; Lois Kauppila-Joan White; Mickey Maki-Kyle Roberts; Margaret Norha-Janet's mother; June Larson-second woman; Marty Halverson-Mr. Norman Carter; Steve Cerkvenik-Andy Fullbright; Charlie Giorgi-Jocko Guthrie; Jeff Nichols-Milt Sanders; Mike Duzan-Buck O'Hare; Steve Carlson-Mr. Tony Peterson; and Andy Achman-Mr. Richard Leveridge. The ushers, who also appeared in Act III, were Janine Giru, Laura Marchildon, Sandy Carron, and Jill Johnson. Members of the crew were: Stage managers-Bonnie Elofson and Rick Moore; Lights-Shelly Seguin and Rick Moore; Prompters-Bonnie Elofson and Joyce Buria. Committees: Costumes-Clara Skogman; Props-Chris McDermid, Nina Marchildon; Set Design-Vikki Glover and Joel Scinto; Set construction-Tony Tieberg; Publicity and Ticket Sales-Nancy Dahl, Roberta Skala, Laura Marchildon, Terry Hanson, and Barb Stanaway; Make-up-Joyce Buria, Dawn Erchul, Janelle Wiitala, Clara Skogman, Jodie Phaneuf, Vikki Glover, and Terry Hanson.

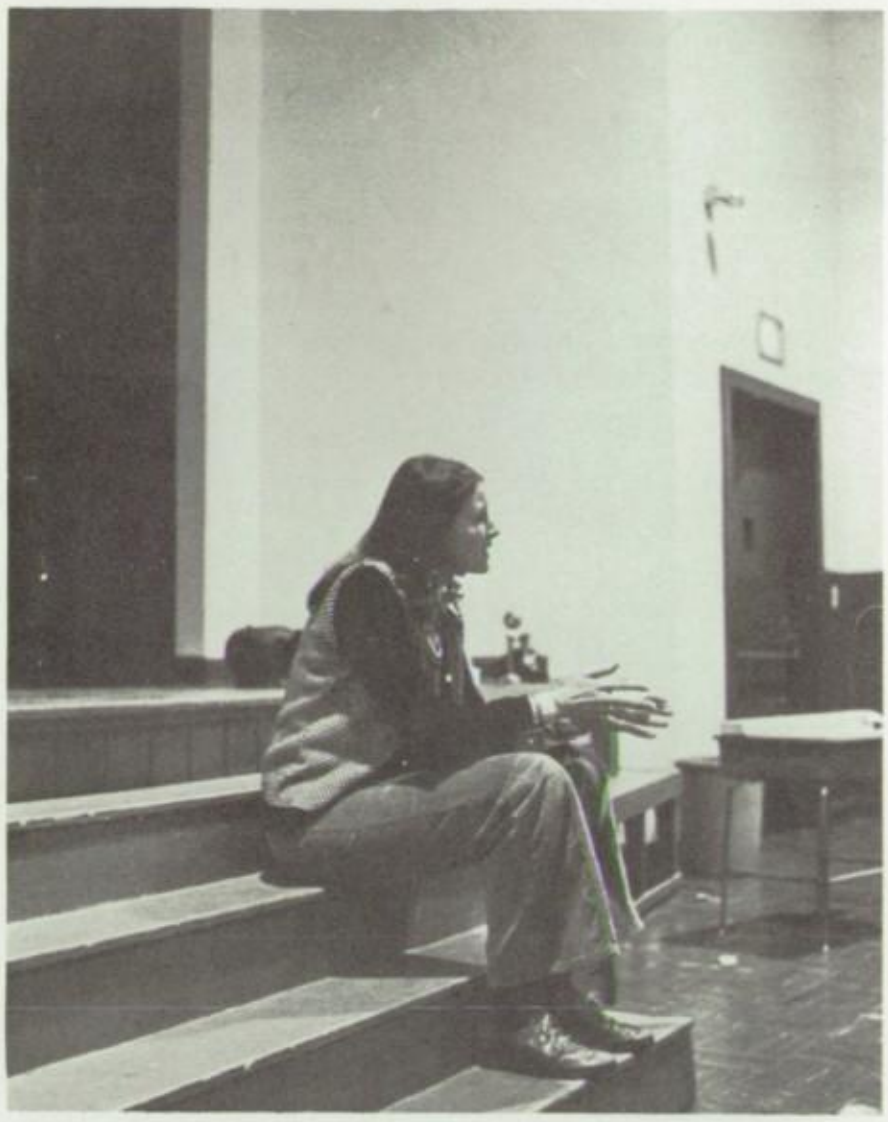


Our bible during the play.

I haven't seen you in so long.

Let's play the sweathogs.

See, I'm right again.



If I told you once I've told you a million times.

That's disgusting, Jeff.

You don't even know how to sweep properly.

I have the biggest headache.

JUNIOR - SENIOR PROM

"HEAVEN IS BEING WITH YOU"

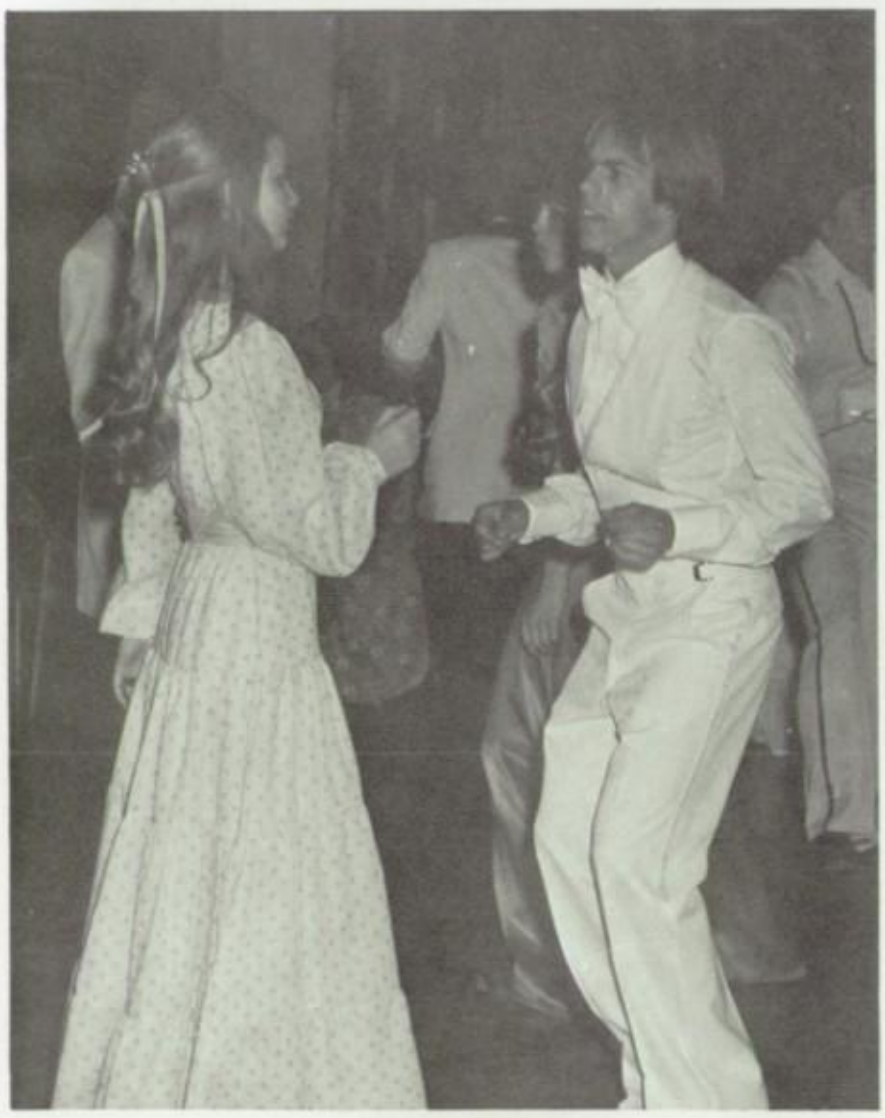
The gates of Heaven

I'm so glad we came!

The crystal ball

"I think they spiked the punch-hiccup."

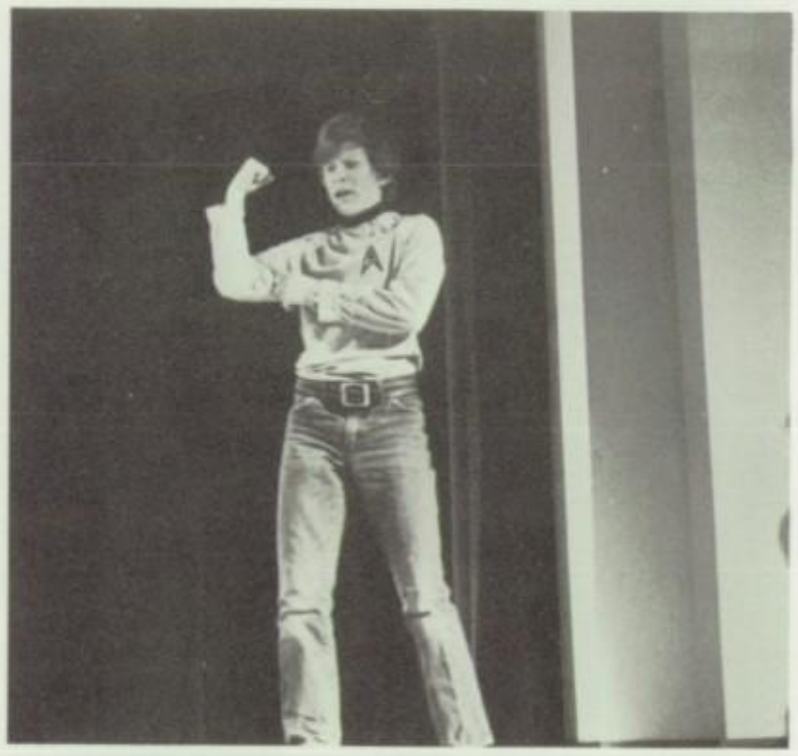
"That was my foot you stepped on!"



"Just jog in place-it's easy."

The class of 1978 chose "Heaven is being with you" for the theme of Prom 1977. The band committee was very successful in finding a popular band by the name of "Winterwood" from Duluth. This was the first time Prom was ever held in the Boys' Gym. It was decided by the class that there wasn't enough room in the Girls' Gym with all the equipment. Under the direction of Mr. Sauve, Mr. Anderson, and chairpersons Karen Swanson and Jim Tieberg, the class of 1978 helped to make the 1977 Prom a great success.

One more snip and a perfect circle, I think?

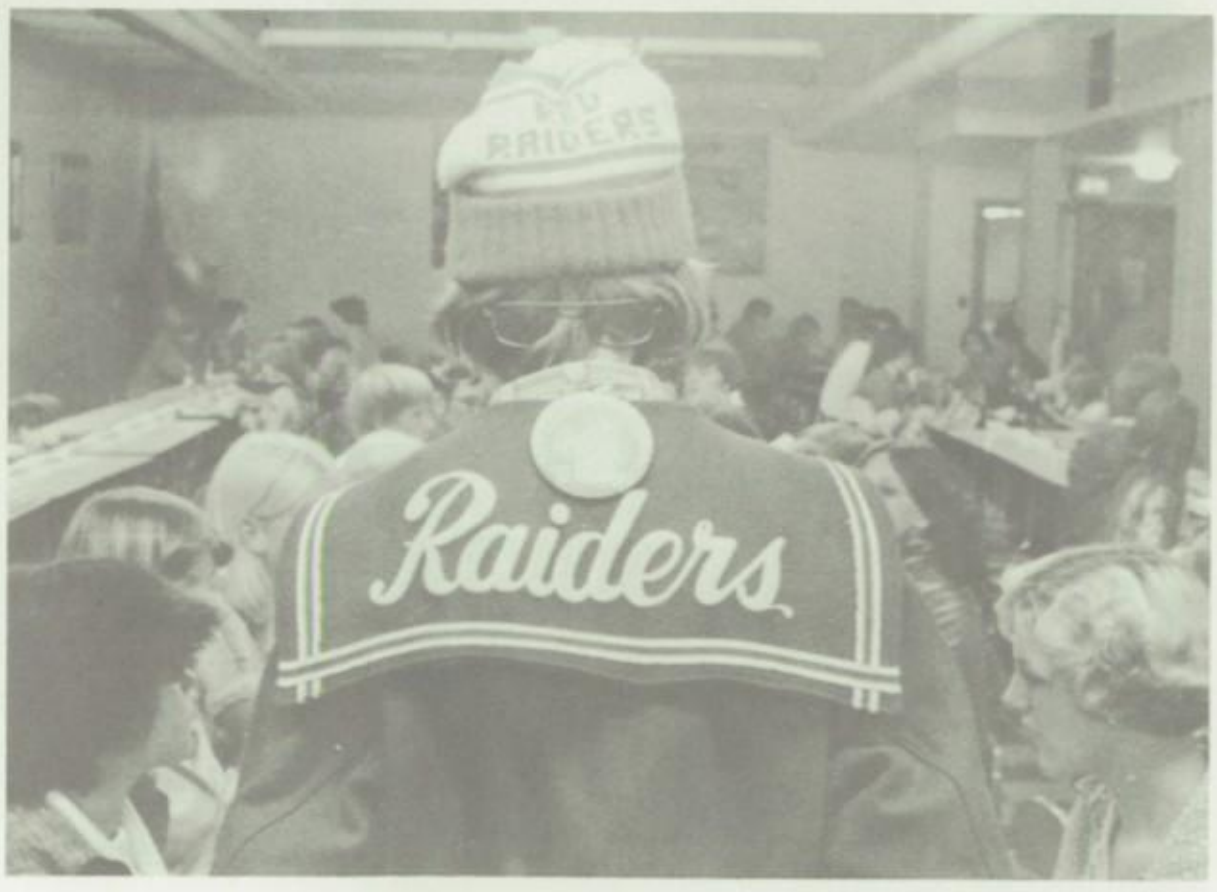


I got muscle too, see.

I'll show you, you, you ...

WOW! ! What a sight!

The party goers.

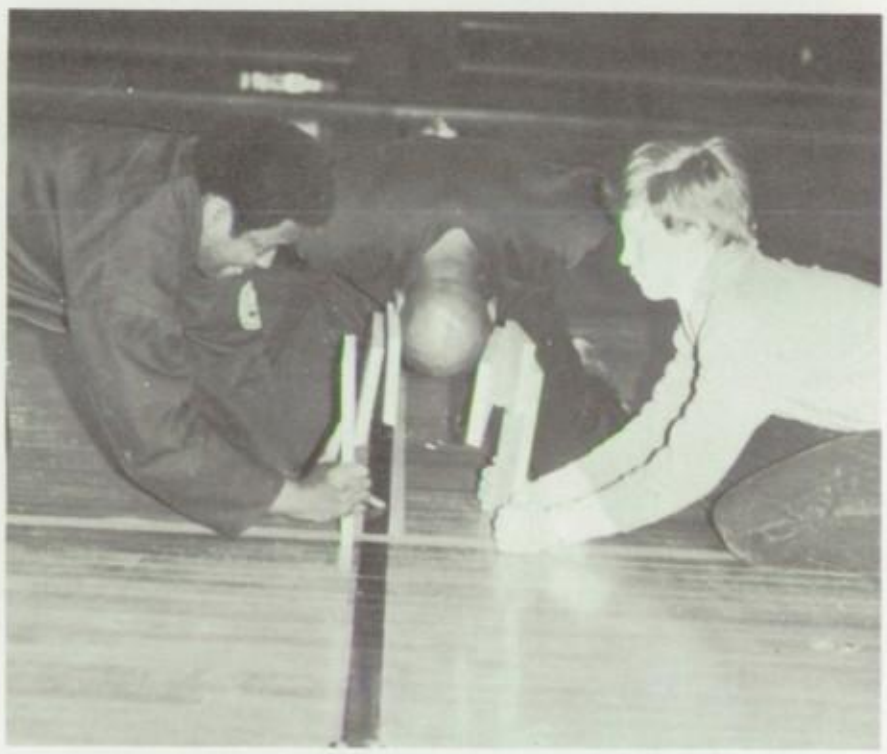


I think the spaghetti was spiked.

"Take my picture!"

Ten o'clock scholars.

No more horses at half-time!



Black Kojak breaks a board.

"Here tis, here tis, I'm finally done!"

Mike listening to Mike ... how dull!

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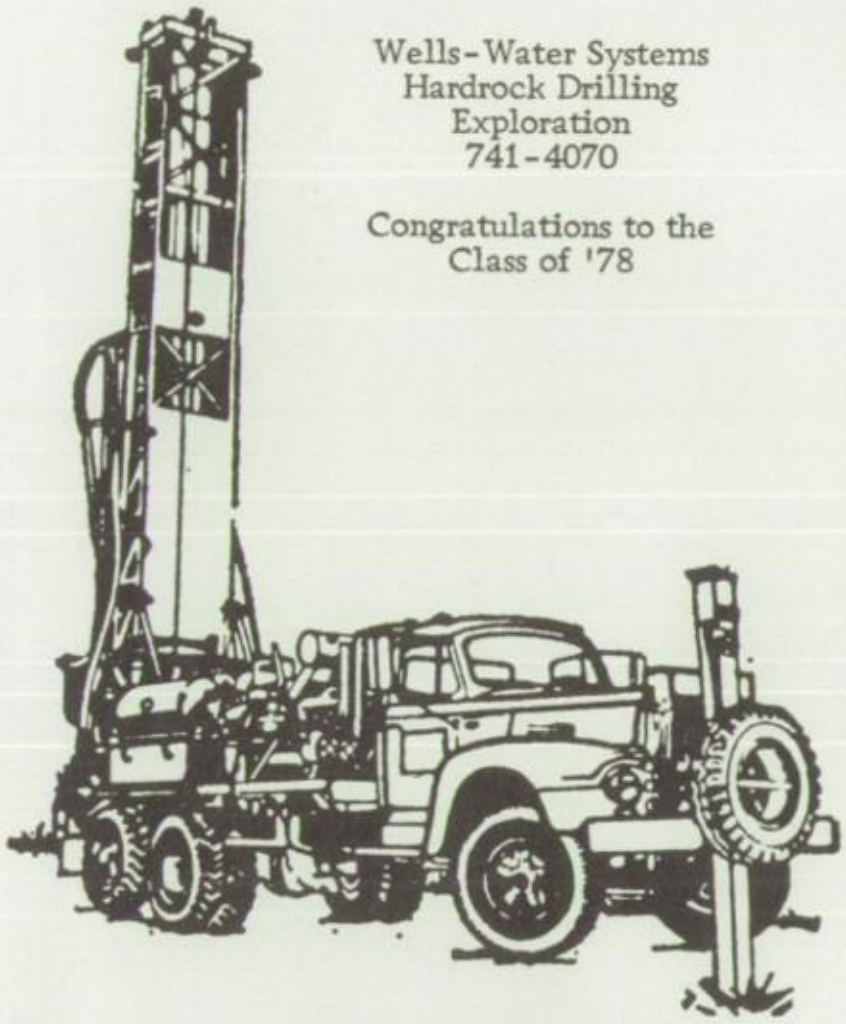

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